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### COUNCIL ELECTIONS.

POLITICAL TANG IN SPEECHES.

SOMETHING NEW.

("Telegraph" Special).

Shanghai, Mar 21. Shanghai has entered upon a phase hitherto foreign to local affairs, in connexion with the elections for the Municipal Council, polling for which takes place to-day.

The interest aroused is keener than ever before, a good deal more than the usual mild enthusiasms being displayed, as owing to recent events, the speeches of the candidates have had a political tinge.

In previous elections, the candidates have been content to discuss matters of purely domestic concern. In the last few days, many speeches bearing upon the international situation vis-a-vis the Settlement have been made,

Fifteen Candidates.

The voters are required to select nine representatives from fifteen candidates, which comprise two Japanese, two Americans, ten British and one Dane.

Two polling stations have been established, one in the Municipal Administration building and the other in Hongkew Police Station, the latter being for Japanese only. It is almost certain that the two Japanese and the two Americans will be elected, so that the selec-

tion will come from the other can-

didates .- Router.

### SALVATION ARMY BAND THE PALACE.

ROYAL AUDIENCE.

(Reuter's Special Service). .:

London, Mar. 20. The King and Queen to-day listened for an hour to the Salva- Lytton Commission, and numerous tion Army Regent Hall band, play- Japanese delegates, the touring Buckingham Palace.

Little Princess Elizabeth and her baby sister, Margaret, were taken specially to the Palace to CHIANG KAI-SHEK. hear the music and sat with Their Majesties in the Chinese Room on the first floor, while thousands of Londoners gathered at the Victoria Memorial and in Constitutional

The band, which was founded by William Booth, played several airs at Their Majesties' request and afterwards the bandmaster was given an audience and congratulated upon a fine performance.

BOAT RACE NIGHT CROWDS.

**BOISTEROUS BUT** BETTER BEHAVED.

(Reuter's Special Service).

London, Mar. 20. "One of the quietest Boat Race nights on record," was the verdict of London police inspectors after thousands of merry-makers celebrating the Oxford and Cambridge struggle and the Anglo-Scottish rugby international, departed from Piccadilly Circus last night.

Policemen guarded the statue of Eros until midnight, when the revellers were beginning to thin out. No untoward incident of any kind aroused by orders issued, by the occurred.

The police express the opinion the forces in the Far East. that people nowadays have grown more responsible. They still cole- marines, at present stationed for reconditioning.



An idea of the enormous material damage done in Shanghal during the recent campaign may be gathered from this picture of a part of shell-torn Chapei. The Chief of the Department of Statistics puts the total known losses at over \$1,500,000,000.

### LYTTON TOUR OF INSPECTION.

TRAFFIC BLOCK ON BUND.

### INTEREST.

Shanghai, Mar. 21. Traffic was completely blocked on the Bund in the vicinity of the Cathay Hotel from 8.45 to 9.20 this morning, revealing the immense interest being taken in the activities of the Lytton Commission.

Thousand of people, foreigners and Chinese, gathered at the Cathay Hotel from 8 o'clock onwards to watch the Lytton Commission leave on their tour of inspection of the Chapei-Kiangwan

battle-lines. Twenty motor-cars, including three carrying a Japanese armed escort, left for Yangtszepoo at

The Commission is then proceeding through Kiangwan and

Chapot. Besides the members of the ing its jubilee in the forecourt of party includes Dr. Wellington Koo and several other Chinese .- Reuter.

STILL POPULAR IN THE ARMY.

Shanghai, Mar. 21, 10.05 a.m. A number of leading military officers, including the various generals in command of the Nineteenth Route Army, to-day wired their congratulations to General Chiang Kai-shek on his assumption of the chairmanship of the Military Council .- Router.

A sampan proceeding from Yaumati to Hongkong, yesterday, was run down by the steam-launch Fei Hung and capsized, throwing both passenger alleged that he lost \$44 one man in opposition to any ed in the carrying out of their refrom his clothes whilst in the water, agreement in which China's terriwhile a smaller sum is the water, agreement in which China's terriwhile a smaller sum is stated to have torial sovereignty is signed away been similarly lost from the boat.

Washington, Mar. 20.

Some speculation has

### GENERAL STRIKE DISCUSSED.

INDIGNATION DECISIONS.

### SHANGHAI PROTEST.

SHANGHAI, MAR. 21. DUBLICATION OF THE MAIN POINTS OF THE representatives of the rubber Government. PEACE PROPOSALS TENTATIVELY AGREED BY THE CHINESE DELEGATES TO THE PRE-LIMINARY CONFERENCES (ALREADY DOUBT- ther a practicable scheme for the December 1, emphasising the des-FULLY RECEIVED BY TOKYO) HAVE AROUSED A STORM OF PROTEST AMONG LEADING LOCAL CHINESE.

A meeting of the various civic bodies, including the numerous National Salvation Associations, has been held and the attitude of the Chinese representatives was vigorously criticised.

THE ORGANISATION OF A GENERAL STRIKE AND INDIGNATION DEMONSTRATIONS THROUGHOUT CHINA WERE DISCUSSED.

tive peace agreement was humiliating to China, and a strike and de- delegates. Reuter. monstrations must be regarded as serious possibilities if note of the protest is not taken.

The meeting, after a lengthy discussion, decided to issue two circular telegrams, one addressed to the people of China and the other to the League of Nations. the United States and the Lytton Commission.

### CALL TO MASSES.

AMERICAN NAVAL ORDERS.

EAST SHORTLY.

MOVING FROM THE FAR

In the first telegram, the masses In the second, it is stated that

It was contended that the tenta- | China will never recognise the validity of such an agreement, even if it is signed; by the Chinese

### OFFICIAL ATTITUDE.

Mr. Yeh Chu-tsang. Secretary-General of the Central Political Council, has made a statement to the effect that the tense atmosphere which had prevalled at Shanghai seemed to have metamorphosed into one of comparative calmness, while, as a matter of fact, the past week might be aptly the world at present are huge, bedescribed as merely a period preparatory to the second stage devolopments. The whole nation had now entered on the "action" down to three hundred thousand stage, and-party and government tons, or six months' supply in authorities alike wore busily engag- might be regarded as reasonable.

### "MISUNDERSTANDING."

general public. However, said Mr. considered. At the same time, the arrange- Yek, the Government was prepar- The conclusion was, however, ments for the possible early ed to bear ungrudgingly criticisms reached that an export duty on nonroused by orders issued by the withdrawal of the Sist Infantry of the people rather than to run tive production gave no guarantee the forces in the Far East.

Six destroyers and six sub-Chaumont, which has been held in country dependent. The Govern- The effect of the fallue of the in Piccadilly but no longer is return to the United States, on to take these troops to Manila, has there would be a time when the has, it is believed been very damage done leading to dozone of April 18 to be placed in reserve now been ordered to sail for San stand it had taken would be even- largely discounted British Wife-Francisco on March 30. Renter ... tually yindicated

Bitter Critics of Tentative Peace Plan. RUBBER CRISIS.

### **Native Output** Problem.

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Causes of London Breakdown.

NO FURTHER HOPE.

London, Mar. 20. That the 'rubber industry wil now have to work out its own salvation, without the least prospect of Government supervision of limitation of output, Is the view of well-informed quarters in the City, following the breakdown of the Anglo-Dutch negotiations.

They declare that a tentative agreement between Britain and Holland could have been reached but for the difficulties in estimating the production of native-grown rubber in the Dutch East Indies. It was on this point that the

negotiations definitely broke down. TO TAKE Fundamental Points.

tors agreed upon three fundamental points namely.

which failed would do more harm to the industry than no scheme at

(2, and the most vital) No scheme would be of any use which would not cover the restriction of both native and European production.

(3) Any scheme must reduce the within a reasonable period, existing stocks could be reduced, to normal proporations; in other words, by at least fifty per cent .-

Official Statement.

The British and Netherlands mittee's request that the decision Governments, in association with should be given by His Majesty's growers in British and Dutch over- The language employed by the seas territories, have been engaged Prime Minister at the Round in negotiations in order to see whe- Table, Conference in London on improvement of the rubber suitua- irability of an agreed settlement gave a brilliant display in the intion could be revised. In the of this question is recalled, and ternational cross-country chamcourse of these negotiations, the regret is expressed at the informa-British and Netherlands Govern- tion which has now been received. day. ments have consulted the Governments of Ceylon, Malaya 'and the

Netherlands Indies. guarantee the effective regulation of the production or export of rub-

### Certainty Needed.

by a series of discussions dating of the communities to present a back to July, 1930.

which led the Colonial Secretary, which to build, the Government informed opinion, whother restri- to be a bar to progress and that not fail to discharge them. They tionist or antirestrictionist, re- they would be compelled to apply are engaged in a careful recognised the desirability of getting a provisional scheme. certainty. The stocks of rubber in ing estimated at about six hundred thousand tons. It was agreed that if the stocks could be got

### Hopless Position.

Negotiations showed that although the difficulties regarding plantation rubber might be over-Continuing, Mr. Yeh intimated come, and that it might be possible, that while the Government authori- although difficult, to deal with naties had already decided upon a live production by quota in Malaya set of definite policies in regard to and Ceylon, insuperable difficulties the national crisis; the time was arose in regard to the Dutch East not yet ripe for its complete dis- Indies, it being found impossible to closure, and, unfortunately, it was ascertain even the area of the nathis precaution on the part of the tive production in Sumatra, and Government not to make known its Java. A scheme based on a quota details too early that had aroused for plantation rubber and export a lot of misunderstanding from the duty for native rubber was then

more responsible. They sell that market to readiness to proceed to Shanghai ment was confident he said that negotiations on the rubber market brate the time-honoured festivities Manila, have been instructed to readiness to proceed to Shanghai ment was confident he said that negotiations on the rubber market



Another picture of ruined Chapel, showing three Japansss armoured cars on patrol

## From the variety of complexities, it is learned that the negotia- PLUNGE.

### (1) the formulation of a scheme INDIA COMMUNAL is PROBLEM.

. London, Mar. 20. A communique issued by th statement published in Delhi. production to such an extent that which says that His Majesty's Government have taken note of the inability of the Consultative -Reuter's American Service. Committee of the Round Table Conference to undertake a settlement of the communal problem, A Colonial Office Communique which was reported to them by the chairman, and of the Com-

### Premier's Pledge.

The communique proceeds: "After a careful review of the "His Majesty's Covernment has situation, the two governments have been informed that the absence of third. been forced to the conclusion that a communal agreement is now under present conditions it is im- impeding progress with the propossible to frame and operate an in- gramme indicated in the Prime ternational scheme which would Minister's statement of December. "In these circumstances the follows: Government think it well to reiter-

ate the pledge which the. Prime Minister gave in the same state-The negotiations were preceded ment, that in the event of a failure settlement acceptable to al One of the chief considerations parties as the foundation upon

### No Delay.

sire to make it plain that they -British Wireless.

### LINDBERGH MYSTERY

### FOUND. HOPEFUL CLUE.

New York, Mar. 20. Another dramatic discovery was made to-day which may throw some light upon the mystery of the kidnapping of Colonel Lindbergh's baby son.

It is now nearly three weeks since the child was stolen from his cot at the Lindbergh home at Hopewell and every effort to trace the perpetrators has. hitherto, ended in complete failure.

To-day, an abandoned motorcar was discovered near Hopewell, New Jersey. It was buried in hay in a barn quite close to the Lindbergh home, and the police are inclined to believe that the car is the one used on the occasion of the kidnapping.

Most Promising Clue.

"The most promising clue yet," the verdict of Governor Moore on the discovery, though it seems doubtful, after such a lapse of time, whether the motorcar will lead to the hide-out of the

eriminals. The police have taken three India Office gives the text of a men into custody. They are believed to be connected with a gang of motor-bandits, but their connexion with the Lindbergh kidnapping has not been established.

### CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIP.

#### ENGLAND'S EASY VICTORY

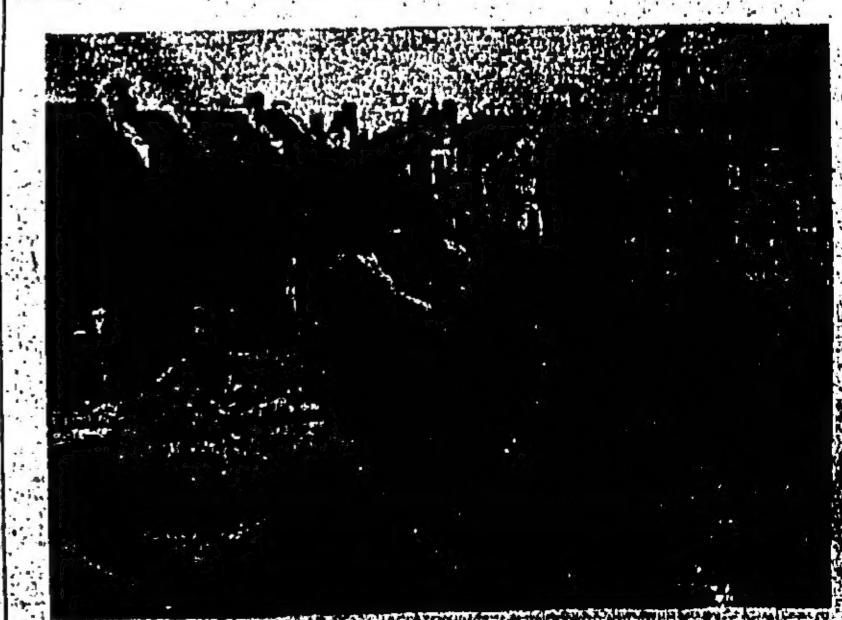
Brussels, Mar. 20. England's cross-country runners pionship race, run at Brussels to-

The England team occupied all first six places, securing the greatest possible margin of victory. France was second and Scotland

The first man home, Evenson (England) covered the nine miles course in 50 minutes 51 seconds. The team positions were as

England (21 points) ..... 1 France (69 points) ..... 2 Scotland (110 points) .... 8 Belgium (155 points) .... 4 Ireland (214 points) ..... 6

Sir Philip Cunliffe Lister to enter were determined that even this realise the responsibilities involvinto negotiations was that all best- disability should not be permitted ed in this undertaking and will examination of the difficult and controversial questions which arise and it is their firm intention that "His Majesty's Government de- there shall be no avoidable delay."



demanded in candidates for ad-

ministrative posts in the Colonial

of the Colonial Empire they may be

required to serve. In recruiting

men of the same type for the same

kind of work and in the same mar-

Service do not now differ in any

CADET SERVICE.

COLONIAL OFFICE DESPATCH

TO GOVERNOR.

from the Secretary of State for the Colonies (Sir P. Cunliffe-Lister) in regard to the changed

system of recruitment for the

Hongkong Civil Service, sent from Downing Street on Feb. 11, is forwarded by the Colonial Secret-

The despatch is as follows:

Sir,-I have the honour to in-

form you that, after very careful consideration, I have decided to

assimilate the system of recruit-

ment for the Cadet Services of

generally. An announcement to this effect, of which I enclose a

copy, appeared in the Press on

As a consequence of this deci-

sion, which was taken after con-

sultation with the Civil Service

Commission and the Colonial Ser-

vice Appointments Board, and with

recommendation of the Colonial

stend of, as hitherto, according to

the results of the competitive ex-

amination held by the Civil Ser-

vice Commission for the Home and

Indian Civil Services. The post-

tion of Ceylon is special and will

be separately considered in con-

the meantime the postponement of

a decision in regard to that Island

will have no immediate practical

effect since the recruitment of

Europeans for the Civil Service is

marking a break with a long and

distinction not only in the Eastern

Great Changes in the Empire.

Colonial Empire, to whose general a single method of entry were

at present suspended.

sultation with the Governor.

Service Appointments Board,

ary for publication.

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The despatch to the . Governor

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becoming closer.

prestige of a Colonial Service, been asked to draw up plans of entered by one uniform channel what they consider should be done and presenting opportunities world wide in their scope, must eventual-sidered by Cabinet before the ly be far greater than that of a Ministers leave for Ottawa, but no number of relatively small Services | definite action will be taken pendwith no co-ordinated method of ing discussion at Ottawa. Malaya and Hongkong to that in force for the Colonial Service enhance the prestige and efficiency on the base .- Router.

> it can safely be neglected. Strongest Grounds for Single Channel.

of the Service which administers

There were therefore the strongest grounds for adopting a single channel of appointment to posts of the same type in the the concurrence of both bodies, Colonial Empire. It remained to in the above mentioned Colonies be, and at what stage the change will in future be selected on the should be introduced. I found that the overwhelming weight of experience and argument was in invour of the selection system. For various reasons, which I need not elaborate here, the adoption of the examination system would have been impracticable for the Colonial Service as a whole, however satisfactory it may have been in meeting the relatively small requirements of the Cadet Services. Moreover, the Committee of the Colonial Office Conference of 1930. which examined the question of the unification of the Colonial Service, explicitly deprecated the extension I realise that there may be some of the examination system beyond who will regret this decision as the areas in which it was then in force. On the other hand, the honourable tradition. I sympathise testimony of the Warren Fisher with that regret, and I would Committee to the success of the hasten to assure you that my deci- selection system and the fact that, sion was not based on any failure as a result of that Committee's reto appreciate the valuable services port, the selection system has been which have been rendered in the placed on a settled and permanent past, and are being rendered to basis,-and has been protected day, by men who have entered the against suspicion on the score of Cadet Services through the com- partiality or unfairness, if petitive examination. Many of such suspicion there were, by the them, I am aware, have achieved institution of the Colonial Service

development members of the Gadet adopted, that method should be the Services have materially contribut- selection system. While the obvious advantage of this system lies in its peculiar At the same time it is essential adaptability for securing men to take account of the great endowed with those necessary changes which are so rapidly qualities of character and temtaking place in the Colonial Empire perament which are not readily as a whole. It is necessary also to amenable to the test of a written remember that the whole problem examination, it should not be supof recruitment at home has of re- posed that the introduction of the cent years been considerably modi- system need involve any departure fied, on the one hand by economic from the high standards of inforces arising out of the war, and | tellectual ability, and academic dis-[ fresh alternative careers now open | characteristic of the services | reto the class of man which the cruited in past years by the com-Colonial Service desires to attract. petitive examination. Under In deciding to discontinue the com- selection system a judicious petitive examination, I have been scrutiny of the academic records looking not at the past but to the and attainments of the candidate future, enables a close assessment to be At a time when the Colonial Em- made of his intellectual qualificapin consisted of scattered units, tions; and the educational records separated from each other and of recent applications show that from this country by distances the Services already recruited by which the modern methods of com- the selection system are now atmunication had not yet bridged. tracting young men of real ability and when the administration of who, from this point of view apart many of these units was still in from any other, are fully able to the pioneering stage, it was not stand comparison with those unnatural that recruitment for obtainable through the examinathe older Administrations of tion. With the added prestige Ceylon, Malaya and Hongkong which the Colonial Service wil should be linked to that of the gain from presenting a single ap-Home and, especially, the Indian peal to candidates. I am confident Civil Services with which they had that there is every expectation that most in common. As a natural the standard already reached will corollary to the rapid development | be maintained and even raised.

Appeintments Board-led almost

of the Colonial Empire as a whole | On the other hand, the pressure in recent years, corresponding of financial considerations tends changes and developments have nowadays greatly to enhance the taken place in the importance, attractiveness of any profession character, and requirements of the or service which offers a career as general Colonial Service. In con- soon as possible after the conclusequence the Services of the sion of a University course and Eastern Colonies have now to be which does not impose any addiconsidered in relation to that tional hazard such as a severe ad general Service, and their affinity hoe examination, involving delay with it, rather than with the In- and, in some cases, additional exdian and Home Services, is daily panse. In this respect there is a marked difference between post-Whatever may have been the war and pre-war conditions. In case in the past, the qualifications view of this and of the remarkable

SINGAPORE BASE.

essential feature in whatever part QUESTION TO BE DISCUSSED AT OTTAWA.

London, Mar. 20. The question of strengthening ket, it is clear that the best in- the Singapore base will be discusterests of all the Administrations sed at the forthcoming Ottawa concerned lie in presenting a single Conference, says the Sunday Dis-united appeal to the type of can-

didate they wish to attract. The The Admiral's naval staff has

recruitment; and the Colonial Em- The Dominions may be asked to pire as a whole has become of such | make a further contribution toimportance, that no step which will wards the cost of the extra work

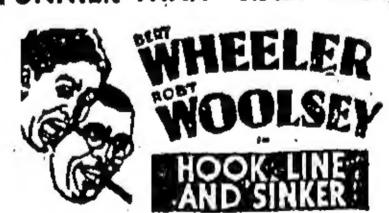
> increase, in the prestige and popularity of the main Colonial Service, which does not impose any academic test apart from those provided by the ordinary University curriculum, there are strong grounds for supposing that, were the Eastern Colonies to retain the examination, they would, as time went on, find their field of choice seriously restricted as compared with that at the disposal of the rest of the Service.

It will be seen therefore that under the conditions to-day, the adoption of a common method of entry for the whole service is likely to prove generally advantageous, not only to the Colonial Service as a whole, but to each of its component elements. It is further clear that the two main arguments used in the past for the retention of the competitive examination, i.e., (i) that the selection system was difficult to defend against charges of partiality and (2) that it did not produce a sufficiently high standard of intellectual ability, can no longer be substantinted. On the other hand the selection system has been proved to possess distinct advantages both in widening the field of choice and in enabling weight to be given more ensily to qualifications which are of great importance in the candidates to be selected. The results of the change can, of course, only be judged from experience, but I feel that there is every reason to look upon the future with con-

Reasons for Urgency. Assuming then that the change was to be made, there were convincing arguments for making it immediately. In the ordinary way I should have wished to give as long notice as possible of such a dicision but it was brought to my notice that the temporary reduction of other openings for young men, owing to the existing financial depression, would enable the selection of candidates for the Colonial Service in 1932 to be carried out under peculiarly favourable conditions, and that the initial difficulties which must inevitably attend any radical change of system would thus be reduced to a minimum. On the other hand, should the change be postponed, it was quite possible that an excep-tionally favourable opportunity for establishing the position of the Colonial Service as a first class career might have been missed. I did not feel justified in taking so serious a risk and accordingly felt it necessary to treat the matter as one of urgency and to announce the change in time for it to be introduced in connexion with selection of candidates in 1932.

As this despatch will, no doubt, be of interest to officials and to members of the public in the territories immediately affected by the decision, I have to request that it may be published locally in such a manner as may commend itself to you.

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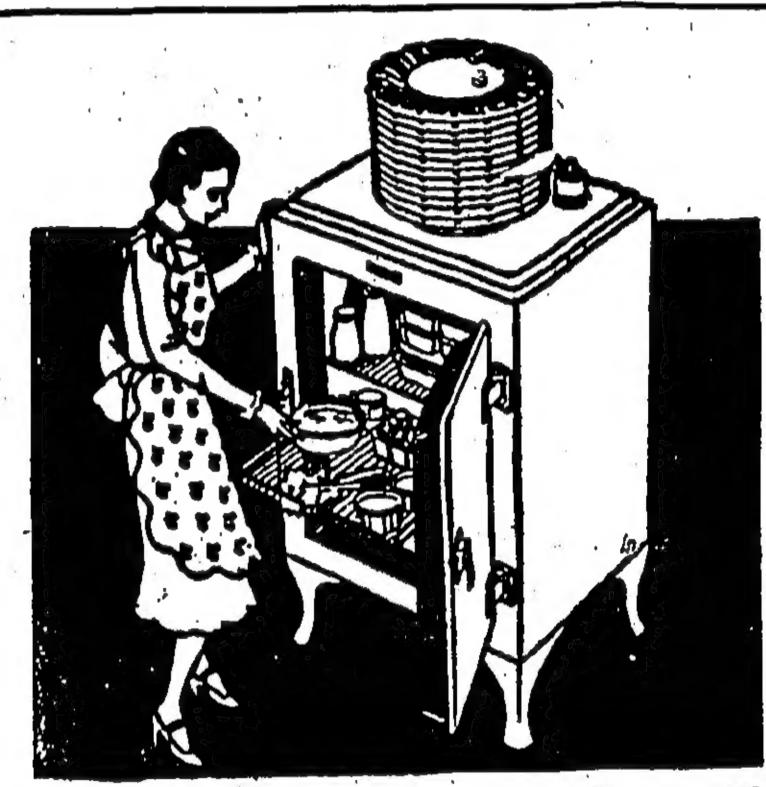
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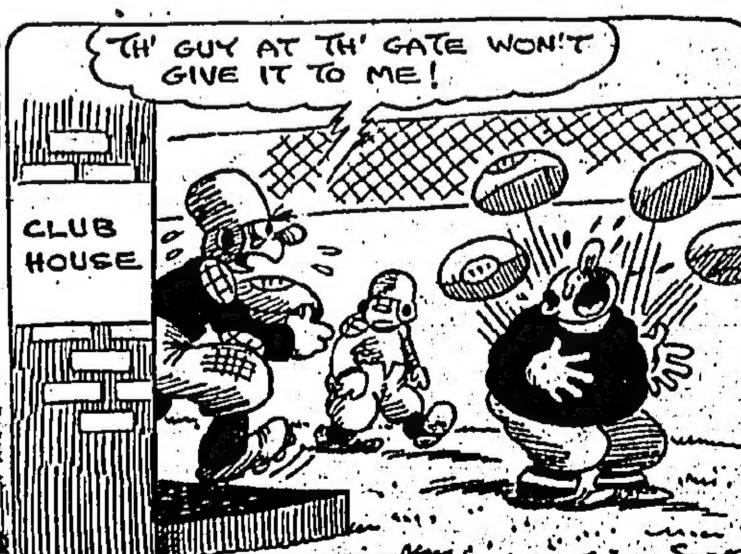
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flashing brunette from sunny Spain, Senoria Cloria



Olga Djuritch, whose wavy brown looks must have influenced the judges who chose her as "Miss Jugoslavia."



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CHAPTER XXXV

Mr. G. O. Carmichael, president and sole owner of the Home-Maid Bakery Products Company (Carmichael's Big Cream Loaf. Carmichael's Cookies for Kiddies. Carmichael's Cakes for Choice Occasions), stood on his front am dreadfully worried about it porch and frowned across his well- It's so hard." mown lawn over to his bugless pink roses and sighed worriedly.

pearance he resembled a banker- queer thing. For some time now or thought that he did. His ambi- I've noticed a young couple over tion for 25 years since he bought in your yard-right near the his first small shop and stopped corner. They meet there frequently, doing baking for the other fellow, I wonder if your grandfather would had been to look like a banker. like to have that sort of thing going That, then, must have been so much on in his yard?" to the good on this early Monday "What sort of thing?" said Marymorning. Also, conscience clear, he Frances. had slept well, had arisen, breakfasted satisfactorily, kissed his Innocent love making," modestly wife whom he loved devotedly, and insisted Mr. Carmichael, "buthad gone now-as far as the porch, night after night. No. I am certhriving robustly at a time when not like it." many businesses were falling.

· Neither surfaces nor depths Mary-Frances comforted. seemed to provide reason for Mr. relope, because it is Ermintrude's pean Literature (1883), in the Carmichael's depression. Peace "I'm not so sure of that, young writing, and if the family should library downstairs. It was filled should have been dropping slow. lady. 'I'm not so sure of that. Here see it before I do they would think with pressed, powdery four-leaf But, had someone come inquiring is a peculiar thing. The girl is I was getting a note from Ermin- clovers, which were a nuisance. In as to the absence of the nine bean your size and build. In fact, if I trude. Dearest, I love you too much, the front of it was a bookplete, unrows and the hive for the honeybee, didn't know what a sensible little too much. I cannot write it. he would have been told that Mr. lady you were. I'd be positive that Carmichael had a disagreeable duty she was you. But I know you too loving, I am your most unhappy and Frankie.

To positive most a sensible little too much. I cannot write it.

I am your most unhappy and Frankie.

Frankie.

The iront of it was a bookpiste, undecorated, which read, "This Book decorated, which read, "This Book is the property of A. N. Monks. Great Spy Drama!

The positive many and Must Be Returned to Him Great Spy Drama! to perform. Duties were Mr. Car- well to think that you'd be spark- It is difficult to know what to do Without Fail." In the back of it, michael's fetishes. Kindly, well ing out in the yard, night after with quotation marks in Mary- rubber stamped, were the purple meaning, earnestly mistaken about night, when you should be in the Frances' letter. It is so mixed up. words, "This Book is the propmany things, Mr. Carmichael did house studying your algebra. That's Perhaps the sections that she crty of the Cozy Nock Circulating not need to see his duty to do it. the way I know this girl isn't you. cribbed can be detected without Library, Wendling, Utah." Another He scented duties from afar and You understand, I'm sure she isn't. pointing at them. The child had a of those black-sheep volumes that made them his own with a whist or In fact, I'm so sure of it that, un- certain genius for getting hold of are fated to stray and get lost on tw: ; he heard them whispering in less I- see the couple there again, books she would have done just as the most moral, dignified, and lawthe wind and caught them on the I've decided not to mention it to well or better without. Her plan abiding books elves. Poor little wing. No duty, no matter to whom your grandfather at all. Of course, for acquiring them had, as has thing, it all granned its tragedy as it belonged, was safe anywhere if I should ever see them there much of genius, its roots, at least, Mary-Frances shoved it back into mear Mr. Carmichael.

a strolling gait, met her by the pink it." roses in his parking.

morning, Mr. Car-

michael." "Nice morning isn't it? On your

way to school, I suppose?" "Yes, Mr. Carmichael." "School soon out now, isn't it?" "Yes, sir, We're having our final

this week. It is algebra today.

"Speaking of worries," said Mr. Grey haired, healthy, clean Carmichael, "I've been quite a bit shaven, excellently tailored, in ap- worried myself, here of late. Very

"Love making, I have no doubt

"I don't much think he'd care."

again, even once more-and I feel it in simplicity. She hunted hard, its place. Mary-Frances Fenwick was com- is my duty to watch out—then I'll and high and low, for books that

to hurry now, I guess. I always go she frequently confessed that, whole afternoon."

by for my friend, Ermintrade Hill, Goodbye, Mr. Carmichael," and walked away so fast that she heard Mr. Carmichael say, "A word to the wise," only once, 'hough he said it three times before he said, "Well, that's off my mind," and smiled his satisfaction, and went to take his car from the garage.

It was a pity, a great pity. But for Mr. Carmichael and his duty, there is a slim chance, at least, that Mary-Frances might not have thinked flat in her algebra examination; and there is a stout certainty that she neved would have written to Earl DeArmount: Dear Prince Wonderful:

All has been discovered. We dare never meet again. Whatever you do, don't come to see me tonight. hearts together and get comfort. It stand behind her door ("My own tains the rest of me. Oh, the rest close at hand; don't you agree with of me, the rest of me that you are! me?") was richly fertile with read; So, thinking of you, I can never be referrence material for Marytired. I rest yours. I will give Frances. this letter to my friend to take to The Englishwoman's you, and if you will answer in the Letters, however, had not been at least—to a business that was jain that your grandfather would inclosed, addressed, stamped en-found in Rosalio's room. Their velope I should get it before I go thin volume had been squeezed to school in the morning. Answer crooked between West Coast Shells at once, and be sure to use the en- and An Epitome of Modern Eurq-

mean it really. This, dearest, is though aware of her folly, she our first enforced absence from each could read better with a pencil in other. Beloved, let us put our her fingers; so the small bamboo is not a true separation to know intimate collection-my dearest that another part of the world con- friends. One should have them

ing down the walk on her way to be bound to inform your grand- had the word "love" in their title, Ermintride, " who had "been school. Mr. Carmichael, affecting father, and no if's nor and's about excluding only those that seemed waiting furing the long process to deal with religion or nature of the latter's construction, said, Mary Frances' checks dimmed study. Rosalle's mind liked going "Well, if you're through at last, "Good morning, my dear," he the roses colour. She said, "I'll have the casy, anthological wave, and let's go." Let's don't waste the

"Wastel" sighed Mary-Frances. reproached Mary-Frances, and followed Ermintrude out of the sour, dark old library into the warm, fragrant bouquet of

On the front porch Ermintrude paused to say again—she had said it several times before-"I just don't see any sense in it."

Mary-Frances crooked her arm around Ermintrude's plump waist, "Come on, darling. I'll walk as far as the fire house with you."

"No, but what I mean," explained Ermintrude, as she allowed herself (Continued on Page 10.)

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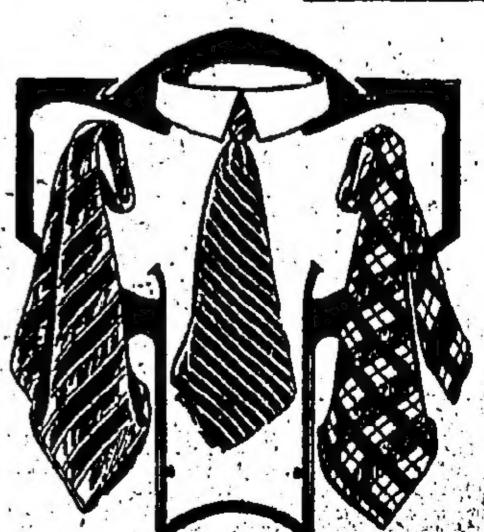
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Consignees of Cargo by the above named are hereby informed that their goods with the exception Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and placed at their risk in the Godowns of the Hongkong Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery can be obtained as the goods are landed .-Goods not cleared within 7 days

including date of arrival, will be subject to rent. All claims must be sent to the undersigned before the Wednesday.

the 30th March, 1932, or they will not be recognized .--Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the consignees, and the Company's Surveyor Messrs:-Goddard and Douglas at 10.00 a.m. on Saturday, the 26th March, 1932. Consignees have a Revenue Officer in

goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns. No Fire Insurance will effected by us in any case whatever.

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R. OHL, Hongkong, 20th March, 1932.



#### ADVERTISEMENT NEW

THE MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

PROGRAMMES and ENTRY FORMS for the Second Extra Race Meeting to be held in Macao on Sunday, the 3rd April, 1932, may be obtained at the Sports Club, Hongkong Jockey Club Stables, or at the offices of Messra. Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming, 6, Des Voeux Road, Central.

ENTRIES close at 5 p.m. on

UNION WATERBOAT CO. LTD. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The Twenty Seventh Annual MRS. X. VOLGIN Dremmaker late General Meeting of Bhareholders March, 1932, at 3 p.m. for the pur pose of receiving the report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December 1931. The trasfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 23rd March to 30th

> DODWELL & COMPANY LTD. General Managers.

> > NOTICE,

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Arrived 29th August, 1931, New York/Hongkong B/L. No. 1. Three cases said to contain-Electric Machinery marked R. W. & Co. Hong Kong 3/5 are lying at Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf

and Godown Company. If not claimed by 31st instant, will be sold to defray charges,

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Steamship Co., Ltd. Hongkong, 17th March, 1932.

· NOTICE.

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Notice is hereby given that Special General Meeting of the Society of St. George, Hongkong, days. will be held on Wednesday, the 30th day of March, 1932, Immediately after the termination of the Annual General Meeting when the following Resolution will be

SOCIETY OF ST. GEORGE,

HONG KONG.

That the Rules of the Society be amended as follows:--By adding the following paragraph to the end of Rule 8:-The Committee shall have power to waive the payment of an entrance fee the case of members of His Majesty's Forces and Civil Servants attached thereto who wish to join this Society.

By Order of the Committee, LINSTEAD & DAVIS, Secretaries & Treasurers Hongkong, 21st March, 1932,

#### SOCIETY OF ST. GEORGE, HONG KONG.

The Annual General Meeting of the Society will be held in the (Board Room of Mesara, Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on Wednesday, 30th March, 1932, at 5.30 p.m.

For the following purposes:-(a) To receive the Report of the Committee and Statement of Accounts for the past

(b) To elect the Officers and Committee for the ensuing

(c) To consider the manner i which St. George's Day shall be celebrated. (d) To transact any other

business of which due notice has been given. All Members are requested nttend.

LINSTEAD & DAVIS. Secretaries & Treasurers.

Hongkong, 21st March, 1932. THE HONGKONG FIRE

INSURANCE CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the General Managers have (with the sanction of the Consulting Committee of this Company obtained at a Meeting of Managers at the Offices of the

Company. That the General Managers have (with the like sanction of the Consulting Committee) determined to employ the sum of \$400,-000 part of the Reserve Fund of the Company in paying a Special Dividend of \$50 per share on the shares of the Company held by the Shareholders and that suc Special Dividend shall be payable By order of the Board of Directors, on the 30th day of March, 1932.

Warrants for the Special Dividend can be obtained on application to the General Managers at the Offices of the Company.

Should any Shareholder fall to pay the amount of the said Call on the 30th day of March, 1932, the General Managers will on the 31st day of March, 1932, apply the amount of the above mentioned Special Dividend due to him in payment and satisfaction of the

said Call. After payment or satisfaction of the said Call in the manner above indicated a Memorandum showing the extent to which the shares are then paid up will be endorsed on all Certificates of Shares presented to the General Managers at the Offices of the

Company. The Transfer Books and Register of Members of the Company wil be closed from the . 16th day of March 1932, to the 30th day of Inrch. 1932, both days inclusive. Dated this 15th day of March,

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The first bell will be rung at 12 o'clock noon.

There will be an interval for Tiffin after the 2nd Race on both

### MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed. No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclo-

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentle- that the ORDINARY YEARLY men and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both | MEETING of Shareholders will be including Tax) are obtainable held in the Office of the Company, through the SECRETARY upon 2 Queen's Building; Hongkong, on Introduction by a Member, such THURSDAY, 31st MARCH 1932, at Member to be responsible for II a.m. for consideration of the Payment of All Chits, &c.

Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

On No Pretext will Children be ing the Meeting.

Tiffing are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21920.

### PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. are admitted Half Price.

kong Jockey Club during the Race | receive the Directors' Report and Meeting.

closure.

By Order.

C. B. BROWN, Secretary. Hongkong, 21st March, 1932.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANU-FACTURING CO., LTD.

Notice is hereby given that the such Committee held here on the Forty-eighth Ordinary : General 14th day of March 1932), made a Meeting of Shareholders in the Call of \$50 per share in respect above Company will be held at of the monies unpaid on the St. George's Building, Chater shares held by the Shareholders Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on and that such Call should be paid Wednesday, the 30th March, 1932. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN Japa on Wednesday, the 30th day of at 11.30 o'clock a.m., for the purt that an Extraordinary General Can March, 1932, to the General pose of receiving a Statement of Meeting of the Members of the Accounts and the Report of the China Entertainment & Land Directors for the year ended 31st Investment Co., Ltd., will be held December 1931, and to transact at the Registered Office of the

Company will be CLUSED from for the purpose of considering, Saturday, 19th March, 1932, until and if thought fit, passing the Wednesday, 30th March, 1932, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, 4th March, 1932. CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN &

MORTGAGE CO., LTD.

the THIRTY-FIFTH ORDINARY Ltd., will be held at 12 o'clock ANNUAL MEETING of Share- noon on Wednesday, the 13th day holders in the Company will be of April 1932, for the purpose of held in the Company's Board receiving a report of the proceed-Room, 3rd Floor, Exchange Build- ings at the above-mentioned ing, Hong Kong, on Thursday, Meeting and of confirming, if 24th March, 1932, at NOON, for the | thought fit, as a Special Resolution purpose of receiving a Statement | the abovementioned Resolution. of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ended 1932. 31st December, 1931, electing Directors and Auditors, and for the transaction of any other Ordinary business of the Com- CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

NOTICE is also hereby given that the TRANSFER. BOOKS of the Company will be closed from Monday, 14th March, 1932, until Thursday, 24th March, 1932, both days inclusive, during which period no transfers of shares can informed that their Goods are being be registered.

By Order of the Board, D. L. KING, Secretary.

Hongkong, 5th March, 1932. HONGKONG AUTOMOBILE

ASSOCIATION.

The Annual General Meeting of the members will be held in the Board Room of Messrs Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ltd. on Tuesday, in ten days of the steamer's arrival the 29th of March, 1932, at 5.30

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN Directors' Report and Statement of Badges admitting to Members' Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1931.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the permitted in either Enclosure dur. | 24th to the 31st March, 1932, both days inclusive:

By order of the Board of Directors. R. M. DYER, Chief Manager.

#### CHINA ENTERTAINMENT & LAND INVESTMENT CO., LTD.

Hongkong, 17th March, 1932.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN Tax, for all Persons, including that the SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHARE-Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform HOLDERS will be held at the Registered Offices of the Company. Bookmakers, Tic Tac Men, &c., King's Theatre Building, 5th will not be permitted to operate Floor, on Wednesday, the 23rd day within the Precincts of the Hong- of March, 1932, at 12 Noon to Accounts for the year ended 31st Tillins will be obtainable in the December, 1931, to elect Auditors, Restaurant in the Public En- and to transact such other business as may be properly transacted at an Ordinary General Meeting

of the Company. And Notice is further hereby Ame given that the Register and Transfer Books of the Company Euro will be closed from the 14th to the 23rd day of March, 1932, both days | Cale inclusive.

LIANG CHI HAO, Managing Director. U.S. Hongkong, 2nd March, 1932.

### CHINA ENTERTAINMENT & LAND INVESTMENT CO., LTD.

the ordinary busiless of the Com- Company, King's Theatre Building. Au 5th Floor, at 12.15 p.m. on Wednes-The TRANSFER BOOKS of the day, the 23rd day of March 1932,

following Resolution:-That there shall be added to Article 71 of the Articles o Association of the Company the

words:-"but the Chairman shall Sh receive double remuneration." AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that a further Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the China Enter-NOTICE is hereby given that ! tainment & Land Investment Co.,

Dated this second day of March LIANG CHI HAO,

Managing Director.

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loon, whonce delivery may be obtained.

All claims must be presented withhere, after which date they cannot be No claims will be adm tted after the goods have left the Godowns, No fire insurance has been effected.

Hongkong, 21st March, 1982,

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

Notice is hereby given that the Nursing Home is now open for the Forty-third Ordinary Yearly Meeting will be held at the Company's Accommodation is provided for Offices, P. and O. Building, on fifty-five persons, including Wednesday, 23rd March, 1932 at twenty-six first-class and matern- | 11 a.m. for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Direc-The Nursing Home is furnished tors together with a statement of and equipped throughout on the Accounts to 31st December, 1931

The Register of Members of the RATES:--ist Class \$11.-per Company will be closed from 10th March 1932 to 23rd March 1932, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

and electing Directors and Audi-

By Order of the Board of

Directors, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., LTD Agents. Hongkong, 17th February, 1932.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

Sixty-third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on Wednesday, the 48rd Ordinary Annual Meeting of the year ended the 31st December,

The Share Register and Transfer Hooks will be closed from the 16th to the 30th March, 1932, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., 12th March, 1932, to Thursday, 31st LIMITED. General Managers. The Hongkong Fire Insurance

Hongkong, 9th March, 1932.

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year ended 31st December, 1931. The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Saturday. March, 1932, both days inclusive. By order of the Board of Directors. ALLAN KEITH,

Secretary. Hongkong, 1st March, 1932.

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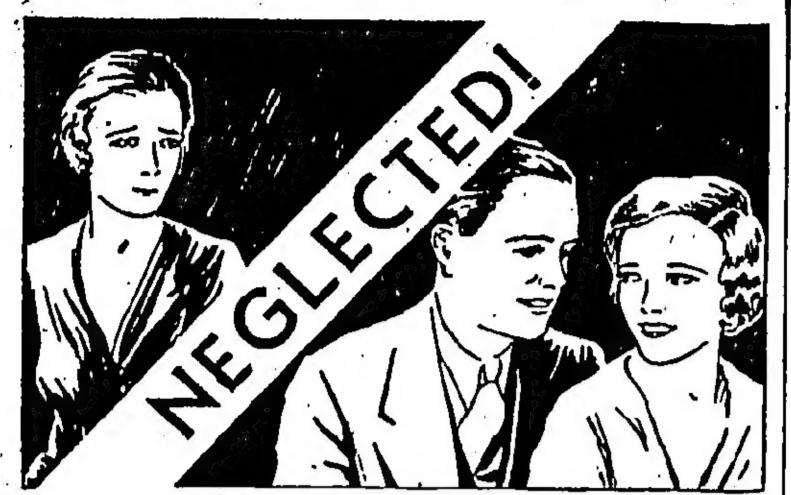
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#### FANLING EASTER RACES.

EXCELLENT SPORT YESTERDAY.

There was some excellent sport at Kwanti yesterday, when the Fanling Race and Hunt Club water was glassy and the smoke from the chimneys stood up very straight, main event, the Grand National, there being no wind. was won by Christmas Frolic, well ridden by Mr. Stanton, Results: 1.—The Auteuil Steeplechase .-- 1% Miles for China Ponies, Subscription

Messrs, Dyer & Belth's Loch Rynn (163 lbs.)(Mr. Stanton) Mr. P. C. Potts' Herga (163 lbs.) (Mr. Charles) Mr. R. H. Charles Mouche (168

Griffins of this Club.

Ponics.

(Mr. Corbett) Won by a head; many lengths. Pari-mutuel: Win \$3.20; Places \$2.29: \$2.54. 2.—The Longchamps Plate.—A Hurdle race of 1% miles for China

Mr. Tally Ho's Daylight Eve (168 (Mr. Corbett) Mr. W. T. Stanton's Target (158 (Mr. Stanton) Mr. F. Lobel's African Eve (161) (Mr. Charles) Won by 154 lengths; many lengths.

Parl-mutuel: Win \$2.66; Places \$2,14; 2,19; \$2,42. and Pierce Grove Memorial Cun .-- A Handican Steeplechase of 25 miles for China Pontes,

Mr. W. T. Stanton's Christmas Prolie (160 lbs.) (Mr. Stanton) Mr. J. H. Charsley's Duke of Milan (148 Ha.) (Mr. Charsley) Mr. Heard's Royal Flink (168

Iba.) (Mr. Corbett) Wor by half length; 2 lengths, Pari-mutuel: Win \$3,22; Places 82.51: 84.72.

A. The New South Wales Plate, --A Steenlechare of 15 miles for Autralian pomes Mr. W. T. Stanton's Fritz (162) Mr. Stantont Mr. W. H. Parken's the net year office

Ohr. Ma. ant. Mr. C. G. Mackie's St. Mortz (162) (Capt. Collinari) Won by many lengths: many Proposition Win \$2.17; Places !

5.—The Hunan Stakes, -- A Flat

Raco of Six Furlongs for China l Ponies. Subscription Griffles of The two and three-quarters lengths in roads." Jockey Club on 31st December, 1931, in "Di" and "D2" classes. To be ridden by Jockeya who have not won 10 races anywhere at any time. Mr. H. P. Rees' Sunning 152 lbs.

(Mr. Rees) Mr. H. P. Rees' Glorious Stag 152 (Mr. Chanson) Mr. Ben's Gelerity 152 lbs. (Mr. Carroll)

Won by M length; half length, Pari-mutuel: Win \$4.53; Place \$2.64; \$4.53; \$4.73. 6 .- The Ludles' Mile (Unofficial) .-A Flat Race for China Ponles, Sub scription Griffins of the Hongkong Jockey Club of this Senson that have

started and not been placed. To be ridden by Ladies, Mrs. S. A. Lopes' The Creek 145 (Miss Fearon) Kangaroo's Kanpaz 145 lbs.

Mrs. C. A. da Roza's Trigo 145 lbs. Won by one length; many lengths. Pari-mutuel: Win \$5.50; Places

\$2.14; \$2,36; \$2.13, 7.—The Governor's Cup (Unofficial), Over approximately 2 miles of fair hunting country starting and finish- sees. ing on the Ruce Course. For China Ponies approved by the Master as "HUNTERS." Winner A CUP presented by His Excellency the Gov-

Lt. Col. G. T. Rnikes' Winchester Stag 168 lbs. (Mr. Horse) Miss Scott Harston's Country Club 168 lbs. (Mr. Frost) 2 Mr. J. H. Charsley's Fanling Stag (Mr. Charsley) 3

Won by 2 lengths; many lengths. Pari-mutuel: Win \$45.02; Places \$8.14; \$2.77; \$5.70.

THE CASH SWEEPS.

Race 1 \$134.10 \$ 67.12 Unplaced ponies (\$25 each): Nos. 435, 288. Hace 2, \$533.97

Unplaced ponies (\$25 each): Nos. 288, 470, 225, 105, 463, 308, 312. Race 3. \$204.76 (\$25 cach):

\$ 76.29

### CANTABS AGAIN.

WIN BOAT RACE BY FOUR LENGTHS.

Putney, Mar. 19. The sky to-day favoured the Camoridge crew, being cloudless and of the palest blue at its zenith. The

The crowds started collecting in the early hours of the morning and many indulged in riverside breakfasts, cooking eggs and bacon over oil-stoves.

Though Cambridge were 5 to 1 favourites, the Oxford crew was said to be best for years. Cambridge won the tosa and chose

the Surrey side, the race starting at

10.28 a.m.

Football ground.

Oxford started off at 35 and Cambridge at 34, with Cambridge slightly ahend at the boathouse. The crews were level at Beverly Brook, but Oxford drew shend and were a quarter

#### Early Lead Unavailing.

At Craven Steps Oxford still maintained their lead, but it was noticeable that Cambridge were settling down and stendily pulled up on 3 .- The Fauling Grand National their rivals. They overhauled Oxford and led by three-quarters of a length | veniently split into chapters, at Harrods Wharf.

holding the same advantage, Cam- names, bridge rowing at 32 and Oxford at 34. In these days, many of Mencius' efforts had tired them.

one and half lengths at The Dove, and cerity of outlook which are most steadily drew away and were leading refreshing, as well as a logical by two and a quarter lengths at the approach to fundamentals of "Mall" the Cantala stroking 30

Oxford's 28. tempined unwavered and when Chis. his obiter dicto; maybe even Free his obiter dicto; maybe even Free web Ered was reached they had re- his obiter dicta; maybe even Free 19 Balances, duced the lead to two lengths. At Traders will claim him as an 23 The holder of a post, hiswick Steps Cambridge were two apostle of their political economy, 27 Has confidence regarding terlengths ahead, and keeping a stendy citing these words; -- "At market, and powerful stroke refused to yield if stalls are taxed but not goods, to Oxford's challenge. Instead, they every trader below heaven unadually increased their lead in a lengths at Duke's Meadows.

### Oxford's Plucky Struggle,

Hongkong Jockey Club of this senson front, with Oxford struggling very render's outlook may be, he will and pobles classified by the Hongkong pluckily, but only just able to hold find many pearls of wisdom in their own, as with plenty of reserve, these pages, and rejoice that the Cambridge relentlessly crowded on translator has made them availthe pace and led by three and a half table to us all. An altogother exlengths at Bull's head

Barnes Bridge found the Cantaba still maintaining their advantage, both crews stroking 32. At Mortinke Brewery Cambridge were four lengths in the van, and won comfortably by the same distance.

As the boats were sighted rounding the bend from Barnes Bridge, Cambridge, rowing with wonderful case, appeared to be only just paddling, and appeared distressed before the undoubtedly. Charman Edwards' sat up holdly.

### Course Times.

Cambridge completed the course in 19 minutes 11 seconds and the inter-(Mrs. Sources) 21 mediate times were as follows: Mile Post .- 3 mins. 21 secs. Ox-(Miss Harston) 3 | ford leading % length.

45 sees. Cambridge lending by: 1

Chinwick Steps.-Cambridge mins, 15 secs. Oxford 11 mins, 26 Barnes Bridge.—Cambridge min. 40 secs. Oxford 15 mins. 55

sees. Oxford 19 mins, 29 sees,- page. Reuter.

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	n . 11.	723		\$108.0	2
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	508, 732,	279.		•	
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	No.	419		\$718.53	1
		496	,	\$205.30	
		202			

Unplaced ponies (\$25 each): Nos. 8, 564, 489, 84, 61, 87. Race 7. No. 414 \$620.85 \$177.38

Unplaced ponies (\$25 each): Nos. 462, 210, 887, 842, 590, 348, 116, 817, 737, 82, 704, 467, 803, 11, 221,

### BOOKSHELF.

#### NEW TRANSLATION OF MENCIUS.

Students of Chinese philosophy will wecome a new translation of Mencius from the pen of Leonard A. Lyall, whose previous works, "The Sayings of Confucius" and "The Chung-Yung," the latter in conjunction with King Chien-kun, have received such favourable notice. The latest work is published by Longmans, Green and Co., Ltd., London (12a, 6d, net).

Of the ancient Chinese

philosophers, Mencius is probably

the most interesting, since he wrote on questions which still confront the world to-day. He called for peace and friendship among nations; taught that lands are won by good government, not by war, and that government is founded on the home, on teaching every man to do his duty. The length in the lend at the Fulham translator, in this instance, has put Mencius' sayings into plain, straightforward English, endeavouring as far as possible to make his translation a word-forword rendering of the Chinese. The work is extremely well assembled into fourteen Books, conwhilst its value-is enhanced by an The crew shot Hammersmith Bridge | index of subjects and another of

sayings are well worth recalling, Cambridge increased their lend to reflecting a simplicity and sin- 11 A cabinet, but no use as a rewhich the troubled world to-day stands so much in need. All The Osterd crew's determination manner of subjects are covered in steady final effort, and led by 214 market. At barriers, if men are glad, and wishes to stall in that questioned but there are no tolls. levery stranger below heaven is "At the three miles post they were glad, and wishes to travel those cellent translation.

### Light Fiction.

Messrs, Ward, Lock and Co., Ltd., the well-known London publishers, are again to the fore with an amazing variety of light fiction by approved authors, in the Colonial Library series. One of while Oxford were almost out-rowed, the best of the latest batch is finish, except numbers 5 and 7, who "The Yellow Wagon," which is the story of a beautiful woman born amid the hardships of the travelling theatre but destined to become a great actress. An altogether forexy marriage ceremony for a splendld study, marked by fine Princess in a little European characterisation.

Charles E. Vivian has deservedly Hammersmith Bridge.-6 mins, won a high reputation as a writer Regarded as fiction, and not as who finds her vocation in of exciting stories, and in "In- coming within the sphere of pro- veterinary surgery through her famous Fame" we have him at his bability. it is a most arresting great love of animals. Quite a very best. It is the tale of a tale, full of interest from start to charming story, very well told. General, a national hero, who, for finish. reasons disclosed in the story. disliked any reference to the deed that made him famous. Interest Finish.—Cambridge 19 mins. 11 is maintained to the very last

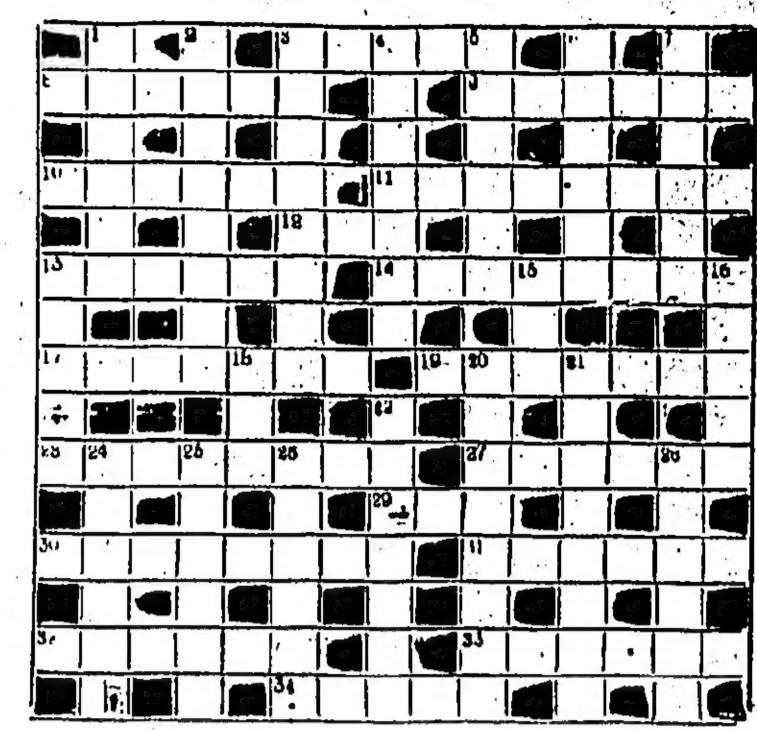
In "Caleb's Conquest," we have one of Joseph Hocking's typical adventure romance, with a Cornish | the principal character attempts setting. The author knows his to wreck. There is ample romance. Cornwall as only a Cornishman snowing, the author at his best. can, and in this story of the experiences of the son of a small farmer who ran away from home. he shows that he has lost none consuming interest. This is a of his old power to grip the in- volume of great charm and wit, All comes right in the end, of terest of the reader.

Paul Trent can always be made the author famous. counted on for a really good story, have, indeed, seldom encountered and he has done good work in "A better-conceived Final Chance." It is the tale of book which no lover of really the fight of the self-willed daugh- first-class short stories should ter of a newspaper magnate to miss. win the man she loves, a young reporter. Illicit diamond buying W. H. Lane Crauford gives us a complicates the issue, but all really thrilling story, full of comes right in the end. An mystery. Starting with the theft extremely well-written novel.

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#### Across

3 A note in bed enables you to eatch this strain. 8. Though nothing like a gale, this

wind is a bother. 9 A poor sort of support enables us thus to be one mind. 10 The five Spartan magistrates whom the Kings could not

ceptuele except for secrets. 12 Give this sign nine and it will

look like itself. 13 Bowed. 14 A state of anxiety in which sense is discontinuous.

minological inexactitudes. 29 Twice shy.

17 Continental Indy.

130 See Bess about us in this matter, 31 "Look, the good man weeps! He's honest, on mine-,"-"King Henry VIII."

32 Though screened, this may ensily be dashed. 33 A great man who turned a blind eye upon an unwelcome sight . 34 Just skin and bones, not to mention the rag.

One who, faced by the doctor, becomes an imitator. He keeps

2 Describes a ray of great penetra-3 While apparently an incitement to even great savagery, it will lead into prelexity.

I Though forthest, time will this things. 5 Here a sad nut disheartens. Being Monarch of all he survey-

ed-was, doubtless, why he crew

of a girl who went through the

Harold Bindless has another

powerful novel in "Right of Way."

The story has to do with construc-

tion of a factory in Cumberland,

which necessitates the building of

a big dam, which the enemy of

Stephen McKenna is responsi-

ble for "Pandora's Box"

Ithirteen other short stories, all of

written in the style which has

In "The Hawkmoor Mystery,"

of a diamond of great value from

an Indian temple, the story

switches on to an English country

stories.

7 You may write this down as valuable china, but it serves up quite

13 A banana is left for Bobby. He will consume it with gusto, I can nce (hidden).

15 Although a silly fellow, we must look him up. 116 Comforts and stops after a cen-

18 An exclamation of amusement -but this may be taken two 20 Though of little practical value,

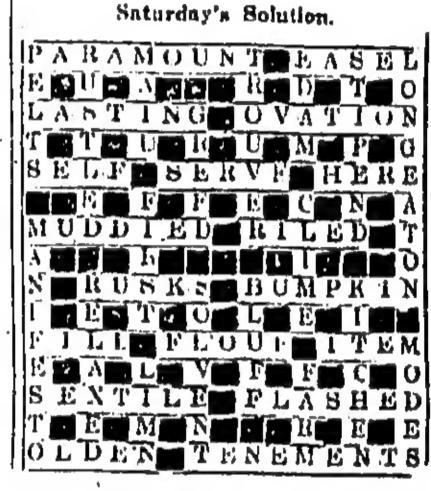
it does describe Urnnus. 21 Without making any noise, I lent the inner part. What's left is very cunning.

22 This old weaver compiled dictionary; 24 Those of baby birds are dispro-

portionately large. 25 Scottish landowners who are too big for their hiding place. 26 Gives up.

28 You'll have to take this little

knot up before you can unravel



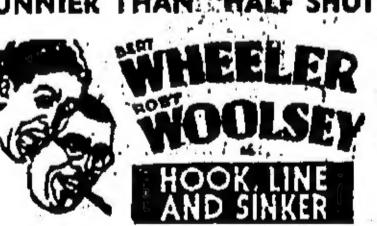
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Another characteristic romance State, and of the danger, intrigue by Katharine Tynan is "The and romance which followed, Pitiful Lady," the story of a girl

Effic A. Rowlands also has a good romance in "The Laughter of Life," the story of a young girl who resents her mother's second marriage and goes out into the world to find a new life. There is charm and good characterisation in this novel.

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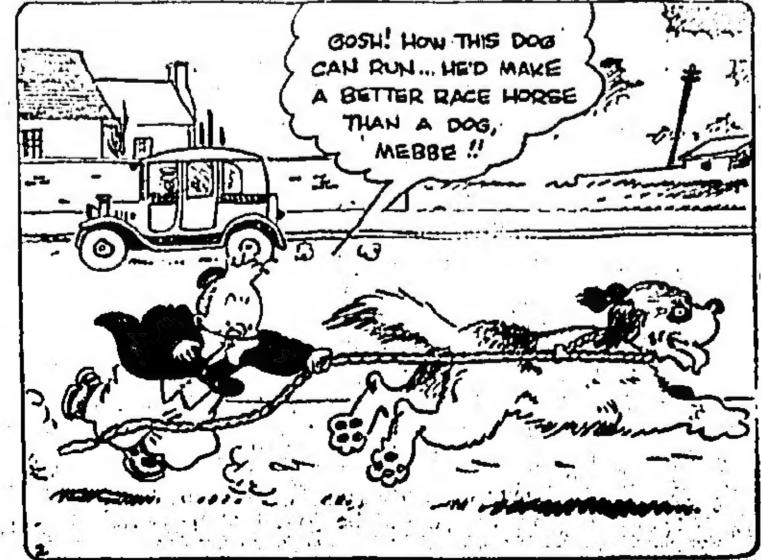
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told the Parliament which met in

perplexity and terror after the

crash in 1720 that in 1830 the

wealth of England would surpass

all their wildest dreams, that the

annual revenue would equal the

principal of that which they con-

sidered as an intolerable burden

.... that the post office would bring

more into the exchequer than the

excise and customs had brought in-

together under Charles the Second,

that stagecoaches would run from

London to York in twenty-four

wind, and would be beginning to

ride without horses, our ancestors

would have given as much credit

Gulliver's Travels." Had Macaulay

enjoyed the benefits of wireless, of

electric light, of winged flight at

an unthought-of rate of speed, he

undoubtedly would have contem-

number of a jury, that forty shil-

dings is the natural qualification of

in every age everybody knows that

up to his own time progressive im-

provement has been taking place.

nobody seems to reckon on any im-

provement during the next genera-

tion." The words of the distin-

guished essayist afford food for

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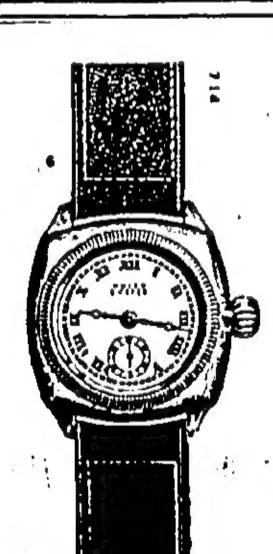
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OBITUARY.

NAVIER, STELLA MARIA DE CARMO, 418 genrs. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gregorio Maria, Xavier, died at her residence, No. 334, Henness Road, after a short illness Funeral will pass the monument nt 5.30 p.m. to-day.

### The Qjongkong Eelegraph.

MONDAY, MARGH 21, 1932.

### LOOKING BACK.

To the student of economics, it is interesting to recall that there existed in England 100 years ago a situation which, arising from similar causes, parallels that which confronts the world to-day. Then parment, the total value of imports youth and the fact that it was his first Their elipped intonation, accenting as now, industry ran ahead of the in the month of February amount- offence. world's demands. A period of ed to \$51.2 millions (the lowest) world's demands. A period of figure since September, 1930). The health bulletin for Eastern The crowd at the rear take up needs more than an ex-money while exports totalled \$37.0 mil
of gloom found a re
liang (the lowest figure since nst. shows the following cases of the cry till the wagons are out of lender turned barrister sitting prophets of gloom found a re- lions (the lowest figure since ceptive public for their dreary August, 1930). predictions. Macaulay, with his facile pen, caught the spirit of the last year imports declined by \$4.4 cases 1 death, Colombo 1 case 1 death, the Bazaar quarters urging natives not to the old regime of meddletimes in an essay on Southey's "Colloquies on Society," saying :-- are: "The present moment is one of great distress. But how small will that distress appear , when we think over the history of the last Total forty years; a war, compared with which all other wars sink into Merchandise \$37,057,782 \$37,721,867 insignificance; faxation, such as Treasure the most heavily taxed people of Total former times could not have conceived; a debt larger than all the imports of merchandise into public debts that ever existed in the lowest dollar value (51.2 millions) in February, 1932, to the world added together . . . Yet | highest (71.8 millions) in March, is the country poorer than in 1907? We firmly believe that . . . she 1931, while exports fluctuated from \$37.0 millions in February, has been almost constantly becom-1932 to \$54.4 millions in March, ing richer and richer. Now and 1931. then there has been a stoppage, now and then a short retrogression; but as to the general tendency there can be no doubt . . . . Having established the trend, he peered into the future. And while he gave rein to his imagination he kept his feet on solid ground. The railway was then in its infancy, the transition from man to machine power was Fusiliers arrived in Hongkong this morning abourd the troopship in its early stages, and the dim lights of the times showed that their way Home after 18 years' electricity as a source of illuminaservice abroad. tion had yet to be tested and up alongside the wharf, the developed. It is an apt moment Battalion went for a route march to recall what he had to say of the possibilities of a century then by large crowds. to come:-"If we were to prophesy that in the year 1930 a po- ed part of the Defence Force in pulation of 50,000,000 better fed, Shanghai, is to be stationed at clad and lodged than the English of Catterick in Yorkshire. It was our time, will cover these islands .. given a magnificent send-off on the machines constructed on prin- leaving Shanghai. Moreover, each ciples yet undiscovered will be in of silk socks and each officer every house, that there will be no with a pair of silk brocade cushion highways but railroads, no travel- covers by the Shanghai Citizens' ing but by steam, that our debt, Emergecy Committee in appreciavast as it seems to us, will appear tion of their services in safeto our great-grandchildren a guarding the welfare of the triffing incumbrance, which might. ensily be paid off in a year or two, many people would think us in-

this we say: if any person had

### DAY BY DAY

DOST THOU LOVE LIFE, THEN DO NOT SQUANDER TIME, FOR THAT: 18 THE STUFF LIFE IS MADE OF .--

The P. and O. s.s. Rawalpindl, from Singapore, is due here at noon on

Health returns for the week-end show three cases each of small-pox hours, that men would sail without and typhold, one of the latter being

to the prediction as they gave to ree vaccination service.

Nicholl, of 16, Peak Road.

state of things under which they Hospital. had been used to live seemed to be money, that twelve is the natural going into hospital, had taken some ingly in the intervals of native of course, does not support such Chinese medicine.

found that to almost all men the given treatment later at the Kowloon

a voter. Hence it is that, though to alight from a moving Aberdeen are secretly very glad to see that is powerless to stop them, even if hus in Pokfulum Road yesterday, their wives are safely back from he wished. Aplichau, received injuries from which he died after being taken to the Government Civil Hospital.

Among the passengers by the Hamburg Amerika steamer Ranses, which arrived at Hongkons last night, is Lady Grace Drummond Hay, who is en route to Shanghai to "cover" the Sino-Japanese trouble there. - Lady Drummond Hay is one of the best known lady journalists in the so sorry. I do hope," etc., etc. world to-day, and her articles. which are distributed through her own syndicate, are read by millions of people in Europe and

always best to stand too near the Herald, formed the subject of a same, far from pleasant. charge of larceny brought against a from H.M.S. Herald about a month ago and on Saturday the defendant. IMPORTS AND EXPORTS According to the official returns sign a bond for \$50 to come up for they come, the prosecuted yelling thought. compiled by the Statistical Branch judgment if called upon, his Worship from behind the wire netting; of the Imports and Exports De- taking into consideration the accused's "Boycott . . . Boycott . . . Boycott."

> cases, Baghdad 1 case 1 death, Bom-4 cases, Rangoon 172 cases 61 deaths, dian home trade. Tuticorin 4 cases 4 deaths, Pondideaths, Hongkong 12 cases 7 deaths, sparsely populated lands where Amoy 15 cases I death, Canton 21 the real natives dwell, and there

### UNEASY LIES THE HEAD THAT WEARS A TOPEE.

By W. M. WEBSTER.

when the first business man who Politics he does not understand. came to see me in Bombay solomnly produced a fully-loaded six-shooter A simple soul, he believes in from his attache case and pro- whatever he heard the last speaker ceeded calmly to use it through- sny. He was happy enough under out the interview as a paper- the old regime and simply wants weight to prevent his documents to be left alone. He realises that

The St. John Ambulance Brigade report that up to March 17, 77,848 member of a Reserve of Officers taxes he would be given a square people had taken advantage of its Corps in Calcutta he had grown deal. But he is terrified of his accustomed to carrying the wea- own native lenders and so goes pon. Incidentally, he also said with them. The forthcoming marriage is an that he had to get military leave It is in the immensely thickly nounced of Frank Albert Merry, of of absence to come to Bombay. populated towns and cities that 11. Felix Villas, and Barbara Mary He and his fellows are always the agitation takes most effect.

Under he Surface. On the surface the white people in the streets. live normally. The yacht clubs Shortly after admission to the hold their races every Saturday. the necessary state of things: Government Civil Hospital, on Satur- Friday night is gymkhana night, on the have heard it said that five died. It was disclosed that he had the clubs and goesing entertainper cent, is the natural interest of been sick for some time, and prior to the clubs and gossips entertain- split open skulls." Mr. Gandhi, military band programmes.

Yet underneath there is a quea-Through falling when attempting siness of uncertainty. Husbands fired the excitement of a mob, he Chau Mai, 61-year-old carpenter of shopping; mothers heave sighs (in private, of course) when children all? Imprisonment of the leaders are safely indoors again.

On some mornings little clouds corrective action for our weakness of rumours drift down the hill in the past. But those lenders from the Government offices, and cannot be kept in prison for ever. discreetly, domestic telephones be- Unless other action as well is gin to ring. "I don't think I shall taken their cause will gain let Marjory go to the dancing class strength by sympathy of the mob to-day. Her ankle seems a trifle for them. Meantime the vicious stiff, you know. . . . How is circle of reduced trade, higher Jean ... not going, either? I'm taxation and decreased spending

And so it goes on. And is not a nice thing.

shop in Oxford-street or Regent- whose wealth has not almost comstreet being barred by some none pletely disappeared. too clean native lying full length A football jersey belonging to Sub. athwart the doorway. Non-violent from Indians themselves for the Lieut. A. C. E. Higgins, of H.M.S. such actions may be. But, all the simple reason that there is no such

Worship ordered the defendant to agitutors aboard. Down the street there is to-day no unanimity of

sound to the familiar word.

As compared with February of death, Bombay 1 case, Rangoon 2 white posters at the entrances to days do seem to be ahead, thanks fast year imports declined by \$4.4 cases 1 death, Colombo I case I death, the Dazant quarters argued and provided in the Colombo I cases 3 deaths. Cholera, to "follow Britain's own example" some politicians who sate at home millions, while exports fell \$0.7 Phom-penh 3 cases 3 deaths. Cholera, to "follow Britain's own example" some politicians who sate at home and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard in the Colombo I case I deaths, Canton and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard in the Colombo I case I deaths, Canton and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard in the Colombo I case I deaths, Canton and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard in the Colombo I case I deaths, Canton and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard in the Colombo I case I deaths, Canton and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard in the Colombo I case I deaths, Canton and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard in the Colombo I case I deaths, Canton and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard in the Colombo I case I deaths, Canton and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard in the Calculation I case I deaths, Canton and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard in the Calculation I case I deaths, Canton and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard in the Calculation I case I deaths, Canton and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard in the Calculation I case I deaths, Canton and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard in the Calculation I case I deaths, Canton and Canton I case I deaths, Canto sored) goods only. There is no the people who knew India, but to bny 8 cases 4 deaths, Calcutta 22 tariff argument or reason in this the swifter and more clean cut cases 14 deaths, Cochin 2 cases 1 propaganda. It is purely antideath, Karachi 4 cases 1 death. British; not constructively direct-

> Yet go, as I have done, up coun- with their job. 1 case 2 deaths, Saigon 54 cases 48 ry into the real India, the vast ther he be Moslem or Hindu, only

T CERTAINLY thought that truth | wants to be left in peace to get was stranger than the talkies on with his own mode of living.

Victims of Terrorism. from being blown about by the under the British he was never whirring punkah over our heads. treated except with complete fair-He casually explained that as a ness. So long as he paid his due

prepared to mobilise at four hours' And few people at home realise plated the future with even greater
plated the future with even greater
measurance.

The point is that Macaulay dog in the hand and leg. She was high standard.

Muriel, the 12-year-old daughter of For variety of emotion life in Mrs. McCaw, of 10, Hart Avenue, Kowloon, was yesterday bitten by a high standard.

The point is that Macaulay dog in the hand and leg. She was high standard. . Karachi were violently molested

Firing the Mob.

At a recent Congress meeting at Bangalore an edict was circulated urging supporters to "strike to methods. But equally, once the spark of his curious eloquence has

And so what is the cure for it has undoubtedly been the initial power has set in.

Of the many Indian Princes who five years ago were fabulously rich Imagine your access to every there remain but an odd half-dozen

It is useless to ask for a solution person as an Indian. In a coun-During the past few weeks there try that stretches farther than 17-year-old Chinese before Mr. Scho- have been scrimmages almost from Ireland to the east of Russia. field at the Central Police Court this daily. A quiet main street will contains 250,000,000 people speakmorning. It was stated by Inspector suddenly echo shrilly with the ing over 100 different languages. McLellan that the jersey was stolen shouts of a running Gandhi cap- and dialects, is informed by local ped mob. From a side turning instead of a national Press, and who was working on board as an odd there emerges the form of the up- whose inhabitants are as unlike, Job coolie, was seen by Leading Sea- rour-a couple of police wagons in some respects, as are Volga man Thatcher to be wearing it. His with loads of arrested Congress boatmen and Scottish crofters,

Swift and Firm Action.

To run such a country, redolent with potential wealth and alive the last syllable, gives an unusual with possibilities of bloodshed in its foulest, religion-incited form. from.—Plague, Bassein 1 case 1 There are impudent red and the public section But between actions of experienced men on the spot who, unfettered when the Madras 15 cases 6 deaths, Moulmein ed towards the promotion of In- National Government was formed at home, were allowed to get on

India is Not Lost.

The crisis passed when the Concuses, Shanghai 30 cases 15 deaths. Is no sign of political unrest or gress leaders were put away. Cerebro-spinal fever, Macao 76 cases uphenval. The countryman, wher Europeans in India sat in the offices on tenterhooks , when the action was mooted. The relief when no violent uprisings took place as the result thereof was real and immense. Business took a turn for the better. Yet the strong passive resistance in some native quarters still remains. It can only be overcome by the complete reestablishment of faith in Britain. If politicians at home only realised how every one of their publicly announced disagreements makes more difficult the return of that faith they would perhaps take more pains to work in harmony for the good of the Empire.

We have not lost India. But it is a far from pleasant sight to see natives impudently walking out of a cinema jostling white people standing at attention when "God Save the King-Emperor" is played at the conclusion of a performance,

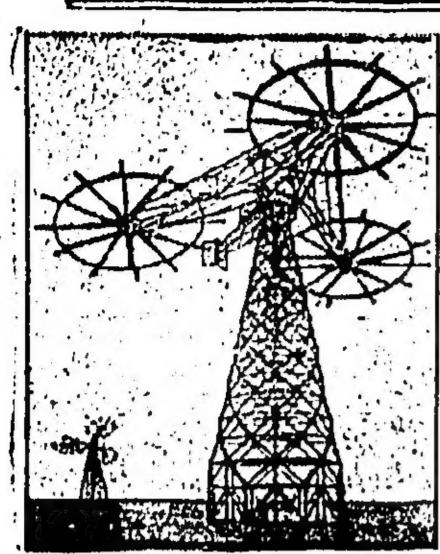
### HUSBANDS AREN'T WHAT THEY WERE.

By L. C. MOORE.

It is a sad thing to have to say, but husbands are not what they were. We're decadent, that's what is the matter with us. Woman's stock is going up, while ours has pretty well found the bottom. Now this worries me very much indeed. As a husband I feel partly responsible, and I'm beginning to wonder how long it will be before we disappear from the face of the earth-or else are allowed to live just to give a house a furnished look. Consider the matter in a calm and detached way: Once upon a

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"He probably won't come into his money for 20 years, so it would be just like marrying an old man." ..



remarkable looking windmill. with a wing-spread of 160 metres, and 500 metres high. The inventor, other than safety matches, joss their present positions. Herr Honnef, the German engineer, declares that 60 of such structures will supply all German needs in electrical senergy.

### HONGKONG.

#### BELGIAN PRINCE AND PRINCESS.

Hongkong is soon to have the privilege of a Royal visit, the Crown Prince and Princess of Belgium, being due to arrive here by the M.M. liner Georges Philippar on Tuesday, the 29th instant. Prince Lyopold and wife I tornierly Princess Astrict of Sweden; are travelling strictly incognito, as Count and Counters de Rethy.

The Royal couple, who are making their second tour of the East. Jeff Genon for Singapore some months ago aboard the Netherlands Royal Mail steamer Marinx van St. Aldegonde, and have been on an extensive trip through Malaya, Slam and Indo-China.

They are coming here from Saigon and on the same day as they arrive they will leave for Manila by the J.C.J.L. liner Tjiengara. They will remain in the Philippines for about two weeks and then leave by the J.C.J.L. s.s. Tjibadak for Macassar. They plan to stay some time in the Dutch East Indies, visiting Ball and Java, then leaving by P.K.M. liner for South Africa, whence they will later return to Europe,

A very charming couple, the Prince and Princess mix freely with passengers abound the boats by which they travel, and they have won great popularity wherever they have gone.

### EXCHANGE LITTLE EASIER.

#### HONGKONG DOLLAR UNCHANGED.

The exchange market both in Hongkong and Shanghai has an easy undertone to-day, though quotations are unchanged.

Silver in London is unchanged for spot, but down 1/16th forward, market being very quiet.

New York reports a drop of 1/8th, on a dull market.

### GRAF ZEPPELIN IN AIR AGAIN.

#### FIRST OF A SERIES OF FLIGHTS.

Friedrichshafen, Mar. 21. The Graf Zeppelin, with Dr. Eckener in command, took half an hour after midnight, for Pernambuco..

This is the first of a series of to South America year. The giant airship is carry- and/or the Chief Officer of the ing nine passengers.—Reuter.

### **NEW JUDICIAL** APPOINTMENT.

### MR. JUSTICE WRIGHT TO BE ELEVATED.

London, Mar. 20. The King has approved that Mr. Justice Wright be appointed with the Sunday opening April 5th .- British Wireless.

going downhill in Stubbs Road cepted the second reading by 258 University Medical Society will be yesterday, ran into an aged Chinese, votes to 210. with the result that the victim, in falling, received injuries to his head, cils the right to permit Sunday Both the man who drove the bicycle entertainments, and protected and all those interested are cordial- have been obtained in Canada, were without the services of their and the pillion rider were alarmed at those to whom licences were issued, ly invited. seeing the victim stretched uncon- from penaltics under the Sunday scious on the ground and fied. At the Government Civil Hospital, whither the injured man was taken by Dr. T'so, it was found that the man suffering from concussion. The police are endeavouring to trace the offendary of the offe

### FIREWORK STORAGE.

FIRE-PROOF BUILDINGS MUST

New rules have been made by the Governor in Council under section 16 of the Gunpowder and Fireworks Ordinance, providing for the better and safer storage of fireworks. The new regulations provide that such materials shall not be stored in any premises where paints, oil, petrol or other inflammable liquid, tar. pitch, resin, hay, straw, cotton, hemp, rattan shavings, or other combustible fibre or stock are manufactured or kept for sale cu storage, or a stock-in-trade; or the trade or business of a carmaterial of a combustible nature, paper, joss sticks, flags, paper lanterna, paper balloons, decorations or newspapers are kept for sale or storage, or as stock-infrade; or goods are stored in respect of which a licence under the Dangerous Goods Ordinance or duty-paid goods are kept for sale or storage, or as stock-in

#### Fire-Proof Buildings.

The new rules further provide that no fireworks shall be stored in any shed or single storey building that is not constructed throughout of fire-proof or fireresisting materials approved by the Impector General of Police. and that they shall not be stored otherwise than on the ground floar of a building having more than one floor. This ground floor shall be fire-proof and of fire-resisting materials throughout, and stairs, staircase, stair-lining, or other communication or passage ways through such ground floor. whether to other floors, or to postions or premises above or adjaining or alongside the same, shall be of fire-proof or fire-resisting materials throughout.

All the doors of such a building shall open outward and shall be provided both to the front and Lighting shall be by incondescent electric lamps only, the electric wiring to be encased in iron piping so as to fix the lamps in a rigid 'position' and not lower than seven feet from the floor: the lamps to be protected hy strong glass shades which shall completely cover the lamb

No stove, open fire, naked flame exposed outside the premises, nor | missing. in any doorway or shop windov. nor near any open flame or fire, nor exposed to the direct rays of Chinese characters not less than out of employment, losing their seven inches high and painted in monthly pay total of three black letters on a red ground. shall be prominently exposed at all times both inside and outside the premises; there shall also be exposed at all times, in close proximity to the 'Fireworks' sign, a "NO SMOKING" sign in similar letters and characters on a white ground; and the quantity of fireworks, exclusive of fireworks stored in a magazine as mentioned There is no special feature, the in regulation 6, shall not exceed 400 lbs, in weight.

### Concrete Magazines.

It is further provided that any quantity of fireworks in excess of 400 lbs, in weight shall be stored in a magazine, substantially built of brick, stone, iron and/or consecurely locked. In no circum- beit there was a small surplus. stances will exposed iron and steel be permitted in the construct 000 las been budgeted to cover extion of such magazines.

Brigade and any person furnished pondent. with a certificate of authorization by the Inspector General of Police Fire Brigade, are given the right at any time to enter and inspect premises where fireworks are

### SUNDAY CINEMAS.

#### BILL TO GO TO COMMONS NEXT WEEK.

· London, Mar. 19. The Government's Bill to dea Lord of Appeal in Ordinary, in picture theatres and other places succession to Viscount Dunedin, of entertainment will be presented the Capetown, record. He is to who is retiring from office on to the House of Commons next week. The bill is modelled on the Reuter's Special Service. measure introduced by the former Home Secretary, Mr. Clynes, in A push blevele with a pillion rider the last Parliament which ac-

That Bill conferred on the Coun-

### SHANGHAI PEACE OUTLOOK.

### STIPULATIONS BY CHINESE.

### JAPAN'S REPLY.

Shanghai, Mar. 19, 10.2 p.m. Shanghai embroglio are progres- Brazil. Miss O. Araujo was the sing satisfactorily, and it is godmother of the banner. understood that an agreement This flag, in spite of the geograwithdrawal of the Japanese troops and Brazil, will serve as a means to the Settlement and the Chinese of closer union and co-operation penter shop or drug store is authorities taking, over the in the spirit of world-wide carried on; or goods of light evacuated area. The Chinese brotherhood as laid down in the troops, however, are remaining in principles of the Chief Scout.

on neutral observers only super- where the 2nd. Hongkong Group vising the withdrawal of the presented Dr . Waldemor Japanese troops and not the Arauje with a Thank's Badge in Chinese taking over of the appreciation of his support of the evacuated area, declaring that it Group as President, 1873, is required; or any dutlable is unreasonable for a neutral. The Scoutmaster, in asking the taking over their own territory.

but has postponed its departure President, and co-operated very to speed up the negotiations and find a better President than he. the Japanese evacuation and dispute. Renter's Special.

### Japan's Reply.

Tokyo, Mar. 20, Following consideration of the draft truce proposals at Shanghai. which Mr. Shigemitan has sul mitted to Tokyo, the Government is expected to reply that the proposals are acceptable, except the second item regarding the withdrawal of Japanese troops, which is considered too ambiguous, so that Japan insists on the original proposal in this matter .- Reuter.

### Chinese Losses.

Shanghai, Mar. 20. Mr. Wu Tn-chun, Chief of the Chinese Department of Statistics, after exhaustive investigations into the Chinese losses as a result of the Shanghai war, has published interesting figures, and estimates that the total known loss by the Chinese is \$1,560,000,000.

Individuals affected by the war number more than 800,000 or 45 per cent, of the Chinese population or glowing or smoldering sub- in the area. Eight thousand have stance shall be used on the pre been killed and the wounded num-No fireworks shall be ber 80,000, while there are 12,400

Fifty per cent. of the factories have been destroyed, the loss being the sun. The sign FIREWORKS in \$68,000,000, and a quarter of a English block capitals and million workers have been thrown three-quarter millions.

> schools and colleges have been by Tanner and Aarvold, both closed, 80 of which have been destroyed, keeping 40,000 students from their studies, and making more than 3,000 teachers unemploy-

Chinese banks and money shops report a loss of business totalling 85 per cent., and railway losses are nearly \$17,000,000, Damage to roads and bridges aggregates more than a million and a half dollars .-Renter Special.

### Municipal Budget.

Shanghai, Mar. 20. The North China Daily News erets, detached from any dwelling states that the Municipal and set back at a distance of not Treasurer has banded in the Shangless than 50 feet from any street, hai Municipal Council Budget for passage or other public place. this year, showing that during Such magazines must be kept 1931 instead of the expected de-For 1932, the sum of Tls. 1,200,-

penses arising out of the recent The Police Force and Fire disturbances. Our Own Corres-

### ATTEMPTS ON FLIGHT RECORDS.

MOLLISON TO CAPE; SCOTT FOR AUSTRALIA.

London, Mar. 20. Two famous airmen arrived at Lympne to-day, ready to start on what they hope to be recordbreaking flights.

Mr. C. W. A. Scott will try to lower his own eight and a half day record to Australia, and Mr. J. A. Mollison is to make an attack on fly by the West African route.-

The next meeting of the Hongkong held on Thursday, March 24 at 4.p. m. in the Union Assembly Room when Dr. A. B. Jackson will deliver a paper on "Mosquitoes." Members

titioners' organisation.

### HONGKONG & BRAZIL

#### LOCAL CATHOLIC SCOUTS SEND FLAG.

A very impressive ceremony took place yesterday morning at the Catholic Cathedral after the 9.30 Mass, when Mongr. H. 'Veltorta blessed the Brazilian flag presented by the Catholic Group of Boy Scouts and Girl Guldes of Hongkong to the Scouts of Brazil Chinese and Japanese negotin- through the courtesy of Dr. Waltions for the settlement of the demor de Arnujo, Consul for

has been reached concerning the phical distance between Hongkons Lord Baden Powell.

After the ceremony the gather-The Chinese authorities insist ing adjourned to the C.C.Y.M.S.

country to supervise the Chinese President to receive the badge. said in a few words that the Group was indeed very sorry to The Lytton Mission is not par- lose him as he was an active. ticipating in the negotiations, enthusiastic and sympathetic to Nanking, believing that its closely in all the activities of the presence in Shanghai is helping Group. It would be difficult to In accepting the badge, the few minor points at present in Consul said it gave him great pleasure to have it; and he would be very proud of it. The badge would always remind him of the Group whom he was very sorr to leave. He hoped the Group would continue with every and

Three cheers were given to the Consul and the visitors at the conclusion of the function. Among the large gathering pro-

sul for Portugal, Dr. Waldemor de Araujo will be leaving the Colony on Thursday next, for Brazil, on his promotion to Consul-General.

### ENGLAND WINS VITAL GAME.

#### SCOTTISH RUGBY DEFEAT IN CALCUTTA CUP,

Commence of the second London, Mar. 19, A great climax to a hectic week of sport was reached at Twickenham today, when 65,000 spectators, including the Duke of York, witnessed the rughy battle between England and Scotland in the Calcutta Cun tourna-

On a fast turf, and under a cloudless sky, inspiring rugger was serv ed up, the game swaying backwards

After several threatening dribble by the Scottish Pack, Ian Smith gained a try in the corner, which was unconverted. This was after 19 minutes play, and within ten minutes Two hundred and thirty two England had struck back with tries which were wide out and which Burland failed to convert. At the interval England led by six points to three.

Continuing the second half of the most vital display of rugby of any International season, the English backs and halves were brilliant opportunitism and would not denied, though the Scots put up stubborn defence.

Burland burst through in the 25th minute, handed off two Scottish challengers and gave Aarvold a rass which he placed down between the posts. Burland easily converted. Later Gerrard wenved his way through the Scottish defence for try and Burland again added points with a successful kick, leaving England winners by 16 points to

Scotland's Revenge.

London, Mar. 20. At Hampden Park to-day, Scotland defeated England in the Amateur International football tournament by three goals to one,-Reuter.

### LONDON—DETROIT IN TWO DAYS. PROPOSED U.S. AIR SERVICE.

Reykjavík, Feb. 16. London is to be brought within 48 hours of Detroit by a new air mail service, to be launched by the Trans-American Airlines Corporation, which has applied to the Government of Iceland for permission to establish here one of the main bases of the new service.

A modern airport, complete with hangars wharves, depots, storage tanks, and a radio station, is to be constructed for the exclusive use the journey from Detroit to Lonhours if the service does not operate by night.

Iceland and Denmark, preparations usual forward line and their rewill at once be made for the con- gular goal-keeper.

### RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME OF RECORDED MUSIC.

Radio Programme Broadcast by Z. B. W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (845 K.C.'s).
5.00-7.00 p.m. Chinese Programme.
7.00-10.30 p.m. European Programme of Victor Records. 7.00 p.m. Stock Quotations, Mail Notice, atc.

7.05-7.20 p.m. Concert Waltzes. Thousand And One Nights-Medley Waltz (Johann Strauss). Grand Salon Orchestra. V-50025. Eva (Lehar-Scott).

Carmen Sylvia (Ivanovici).

Nat Shilkret and His International Orchestra. V-50013. 8.00 p.m. Local Time and Wen-

ther Report. 7.20-8.10 p.m. A Concert. Piano Solo-Valse Oublice (Lizzt). Plano Solo-Capriccio la F Minor

Vladimir Horowitz. 1466. Song-Clair De Lune (The Wistful Moon) (Verlaine-Szule). Song-Benu Soir (Evening Fair)

(Bourget-Debussy). Mary Garden (Soprano). 1439. Violin Solo-Nocturne (Tschnikowsky-Hartmann). Violin Solo-Minuet (Haydn-

Hartmann). Rence Chemet. 6600 Chorus-Where'er You Walk (Handel-Spross).

Chorus-Bedouln Song (Foote). Associated Glee Clubs of America. 36043. Instrumental-Elegie (From String Screnade in C Major)

(Tschnikowsky). The Philadelphia Chamber String Simfonietta, 4151, Song-Bois Epais (Sombre Forest)

(Arr. Lully). Song-The First Caresa sent was Mr. C. A. da Roza, Con-(De Crescenzo). Enrico Caruso (Tenor). 1437.

8.10-9.00 p.m. Orchestral and Band Selections. Lehariana (Geiger). Marck Weber and His Salon

Orchestra, V-50002. Cleopatra (Mancinelli arr. Creatore). Crentore's Band. 36045. Fantasy of Melodies by Offenbach

(Urbach). Marck Weber and His Orch. V-50033. Fete-Dieu n Seville (Holiday in Seville) (Albeniz). Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra. 7158. Marche Slave (Tschnikowsky).

Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Leopold Stokowski. 6513. Along the Banks of the Volga (Borchert).

Marck Weber and His Orch. V-78. 9.00-10.00 p.m. Variety.

Vocal Duct-Would You Like to Take a Walk. Julia Sanderson and Frank Crumit. Song-One Little Raindrop. Frank Crumit (Comedian). 22630 Violin Solo-Ramona.

Giulietta Morino with guitar and Piano. 12-81229. Song-The White Dove. Song-When I'm Looking at You.

Lawrence Tibbett (Baritone). 1447. Orchestral-Neapolitan Nights. Orchestral-The Lovers. Venetian Orchestra. V-6. Song-Jimmie the Kid.

Song-My Blue Eyed Jane. Jimmie Rodgers. 23549. Whistling Solo-Gypsy Love Song. Whistling Solo-Carry Me Back to Old Virginny.

Bob MacGimsey. V-43. Humorous Song-Taught me How to Play the Second Fiddle. Humorous Song-I'm a Specialist.

Frank Crumit. 22859. Instrumental-Little Love Nest. Instrumental-Night of Enchantment. Giulietta Morino. V-79. Song-Hello! Beautiful! Song-Walkin' My Baby Back Home,

Maurice Chevalier (Baritone). 22634. 10.00-10.30 p.m. Operatic. Vocal Duct-Enzo Grimaldo-Prince of Santaflor (Ponchielli). Vocal Duct-Pearl Fishers-In the

Depths of the Temple (Bizet). Beniamine Gigli and Giuseppe De Band-Pearl Fishers-Selection (Bizet

arr. Creatore). Creatore's Band, 36001-36002. 10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press

p.m. (Approx:). Close

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### FRIENDLY HOCKEY

#### RADIO SPORTS CLUB WIN TWICE.

Over the week-end, the Radio of the daily mail service which is Sports Club played two successful to remain in-operation both winter games of hockey against the St. and summer. It is expected that Andrew's Club and H. M. S. Cumberland. Both matches were don will occupy 48 hours, or 72 played on the Radio ground at Caroline Hill.

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LOCAL FOOTBALL

### Borderers in Shield Final.

Spring to Life in Last Minutes.

### LEAGUE CHAMPIONS

The Royal Navy, already certain of the Senior League Championship-in the absence of the Argylls-further increased their advantage over their rivals on Saturday by defeating St. Joseph's. The S. W. Borderers entered the Senior Shield Final by discovering their shooting boots in the closing stages of their match with the Police.

The results of Saturday's matches are appended:

Senior Shield Semi-final. 

Junior Shield Semi-final.

12th Battery, 3 Borderers ..... 1

Senior League. Navy ..... St. Joseph's ....

#### Third Division.

The other junior shield remifinal will professly have to be replayed, the referenchlaying twenty minutes short handy whently.

> THREE GOALS IN LAST SEVEN MINUTES.

### Poor Display By The Police.

The Senior Shield comi-final, between the two drongest teams left in the competition, epitomised the low level to which soccer has, generally speaking, fallen this season. Both sides played in such a purposeless tashion that for seventy minutes no worth while goal came or looked to be coming, though Shepherd had "fluked" one for the Police in the first half. Then Channings found himself in the right place at the time and equalised with a nice

For ten minutes or so afterwards, the Borderers, pressing ateadily, seemed likely to drop into the listless style which had contributed to their complete inabilito to defeat McHardy in the first seventy minutes, when Jones got a flash of inpiration and did the hat trick in seven minutes.

The whirlwind firish failed to compensate for the tiresomeness. of the play that had gone before. ched shooting that they appeared far less dangerous than the Police, who were woefully ragged and whose visits to the other end were purely spasmodic, despite good work by the half-backs, who alone carned any praise.

The Borderers were sound in

The Navy had several new- Royal Navy. After knocking up 160 for 34 runs, playing a great part in comers in the side they fielded runs by consistent batting, they dis- the victory of his side. The Univeragainst St. Joseph's. The result was never in doubt. St. Joseph's did well to escape so lightly.

### YESTERDAY'S EVENT.

analysis with three for 12. Yesterday, on the H.K.F.C. ground, a charity game was played between a selected Navy XI and a Chinese team. Dr. C. C. Wu kicked off before a fair crowd. The gate receipts went towards the fund being raised locally for the Shanghai refugees.

The line out was as under: R. Navy .-- Wilson; Dixon and Stephone; Lawrence, Shirtas and Robert-son; Robinson, Redgate, Bland, Smith

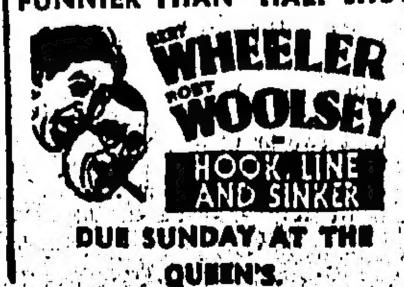
Chinese XI .-- Chan Sik-pul; Lak Kwok-twang and Lai Mak-tok; Ho Choi-ying, Wong Sul-wah and Lam Yuk-ying; Li Hung-chung, Suen Kumshun, Ho Ka-keung, Chan Chan-woo and Chan Kong-su.

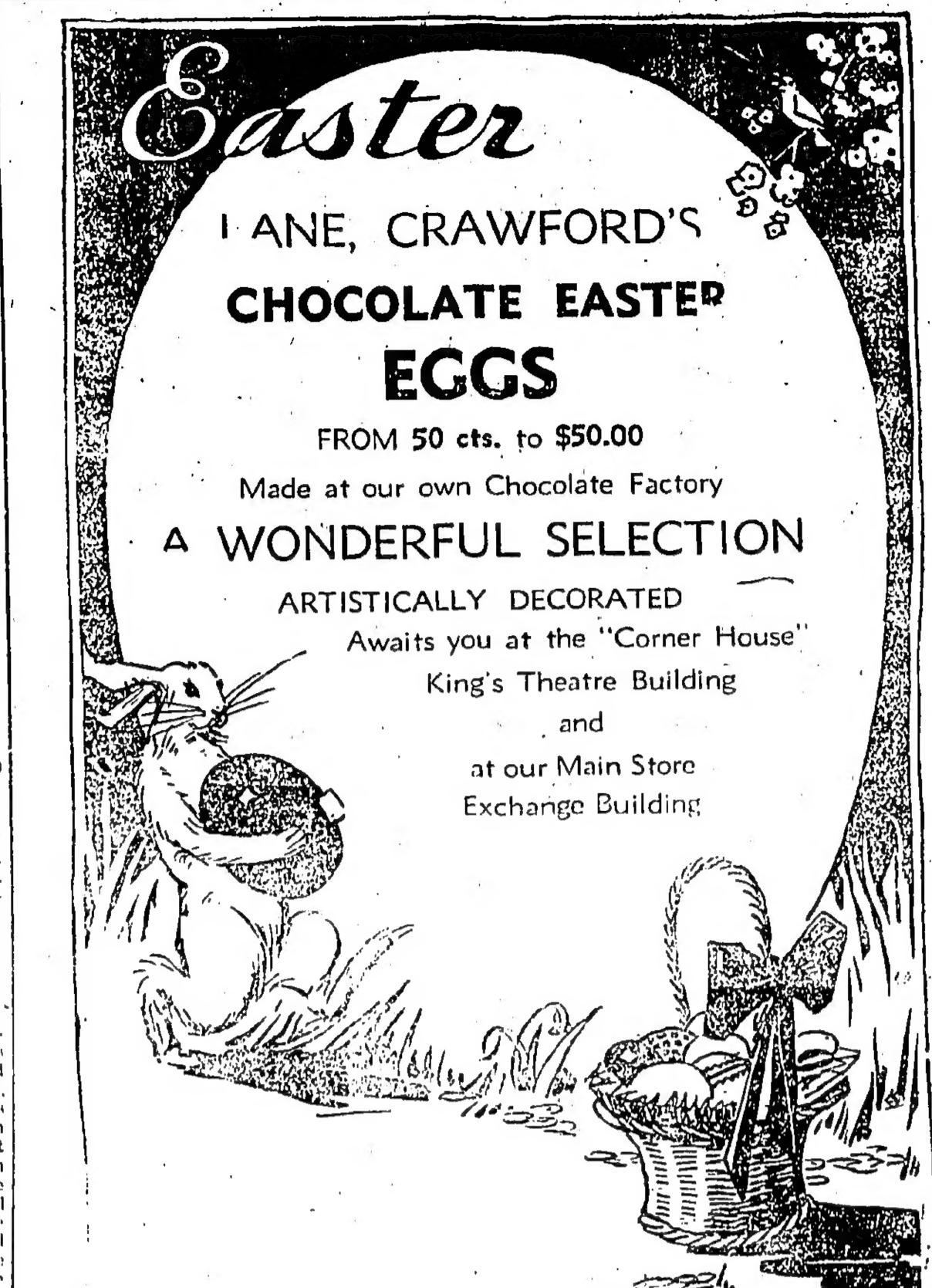
Referee, S.B. P. O. Holt. Play opened very briskly, the ball travelling from end to end, neither nttack being good enough to over-come the defence. The first half was full of thrills, but there was no

After the change of ends, the Navy held the upper hand, and after ten minutes play in this half; Robinson opened the score. For a time the Chinese were outplayed, and with the Navy pressing Robinson scored again

and put them two up. During the next few minutes the exchanges were even. A breakaway by the Chinese gave Suen a chance and he beat Wilson from close range. Chinese then went out to level up, but the Navy defence held out until the final whistle sounded.

FUNNIER THAN "HALF SHOT"





LOCAL CRICKET.

HONGKONG C.C. OUT FOR 57 RUNS.

The surprise of the week-end The Borderers served up plenty of cricket was the easy victory of for eight. "dainty" football, but completed the University 1st XI over the their movements with such wret- Hongkong C.C. 1st XI, who were culty in knocking off the required runs skittled out for only 57 runs at for victory, winning by nine wickets.

Pokfulam. The undergraduates won in the easiest of fashion by nine wickets.

LEAGUE I.

Kowloon C.C. Defeat

Royal Navy. The strong Kowloon attack played at Sookunpoo. After knocking up 43 a large part in their victory over the runs, he went on to take six wickets missed the Navy for 108 runs. four wickets for 20 runs. All the

Kowloon bowlers had their share of

honours. Lyni returning the best

H.K.C.C. SWAMPED.

Dismissed for 57 Runs by Undergraduates.

was probably responsible for the poor second string! They played two re- runs.

The undergraduates had no diffi-

LEAGUE H. -

R.A.S.C. Defeat University at Sookunpoo.

Whitley's all-round display was a (4 for 32) ran throu feature of the match between the were all out for 76. R.A.S.C. and the University 2nd XI sity batting collapsed and the whole Of the Navy bewlers, E.R.A. Hol- side was out for 73 runs. D. Roy land was the most successful, taking captured five wickets for 22 runs for the University.

FRIENDLY MATCHES.

I.R.C. 2nd XI Defeat the

show the Hongkong C.C. put up when they visited the University. With the exception of A.C. Beck, who went in first wicket and was not out when the last wicket fell, all the other Club hatsmen failed against the bowling of Gosano, who took four wickets for lightly of the bowling of the 2nd XI, and the same. The seniors were all out for 20 runs. only nine runs, Baker, who had three the seniors were all out for 96 runs. for 15, and Anderson who claimed two A.K. Ismail took three wickets for 24 runs, M.R. Abbas two fer one and A. S. Suffind two for five.

8.W.B. v H.K.C.C.

Playing on the Hongkong C. C. ground, the South Wales Borderers defeated the home team by 94 runs The visitors compiled 160 runs, Lt. de Winton claiming 41 before retiring, and Corporal Church 35 not out. Lt. Stocker (5 for 31) and Lt. Hamilton (4 for 32) ran through the Club, who

### YESTERDAY'S MATCH

Indian R.C. 2nd XI Gain

Three More Points. By defeating the Royal Army Service Corps in a League match yesterday at Sockunpoo, the Indian R.C. 2nd XI have gone to the head of the Lengue table, one point ahead of the Kowloon C.C. 2nd XI for the same

number of matches played. I.R.C. 1st XI.

The Indian R.C. 1st XI, which have just won the Senior League, suffered their first defeat of the season on continuous played.

The Indians won comfortably by seven wickets. They dismissed the military team for only 44 runs and went on to make 145 runs. F. M. continuous played.

The matting wicket at Pokfulam Saturday when they lost to their ball and captured five wickets for 15

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### CINEMA SCREENINGS.

#### NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES.

"Young As You Feel," the longawaited Will Rogers' comedy drama, in which the popular screen star and comedian is seen for the first time as a model of what the well dressed man should wear, is showing to-day at

the King's Theatre. The story deals with the quite human and logical predicament of a kind and wealthy widower who finds his two wilful sons slowly getting beyond his control. They absolutely refuse to share the responsibilities of his large meat packing business, but are very willing to spend its profits on their social and sports activities.

After years of patience Rogers decides to bent his sons at their own game, and in the company of that delightful French comedienne, Fif. Dorany, he visits an expensive tailor, and makes the rounds of the various night clubs, race tracks and other

centres of pleasure. And his plan gets results, results that are not only surprising to Rogers, Pin, and his sons, but which will amaze you, too.

"Young As You Feel," which is Rogers' fifth starring Fox picture, is ling to the rapid progress made withthe talking screen's version Go. rgo Ade's well known stage play. "Father And The Boys" It is said to offer Rogers the best opportunity of his centre screen career to display his natural and homely style of humour and to be the most human and hilarious of his pictures.

In addition to Miss Dorsay, the comedian is supported by a cast of sterling quality, including that celebrated character netor, Lucien Liciles field. Donald Dillaway and Terrance Ray impersonate the two spoiled sons and Rosalie Roy and Lawile Browne are the feminine members of the youthful and romantic foursome. Other Important players are Brandon Hurst, who recently played with Rogers in "A Connecticut Yankee," C. Henry Gorden and Gregory Caye. Frank Borzage, who directed "They | cheered by the gathering. Had To See Paris" which picture marked the screen debut of both Rogers and Fift Dorsay, directed the production.

#### Author who was a Spy.

novel (which will be remembered as cians their previous instruments and an Evening Standard serial) was so on, therefore strange though it himself a British Intelligence officer may sound insuring Sydney Howard who had adventures in Germany dur- against the bloce of voice" during a ing the war. A screen reconstruction talkie production, it is a most logical of his actual experiences might have and sensible procedure. "Titly of been less obviously thrilling than the Bhomsbury" which will be again drama of his imaginary Duncan shown by request at the King's Grant: but it would be very interest. Theatre for one day only next

"The 'W' Plan," it may be recalled, was a plan to burrow under No Man's Land to a point well behind the British lines, where, at a given signal, the Germane would blast their way

upwards. Grant, wearing the uniform of a dend German major, lands in enemy territory from an aeroplane, visita the mother of the dead man, and

steals his plans. After that he kills a German private for his uniform, is arrested as a deserter, and sent as interpreter to the "W" Plan workings, upon which British preopers are employed.

nome dynamite Grant blows up a tunnel, climbs through the crater into No Man's Land get: to the British trenches with the German plans-and frustrates their knavish tricks.

Mr. Saville almost convinces one that it could have happened. seenes in the workings, with ganga of prisoners driven through the galleries at the double, the clatter of muchinery and the brusque German commands are shown both to the ear and eye with great skill.

There are several pleasing sequences in the open air. Brian Aberne, whose last film was also "Underground," makes his debut in talkies. He is an efficient actor in the role of Duncan Grant.

The supporting east is strong with Gordon Harker and Gibb McLaughlin, as prisoners, and Alfred Drayton and Charles Paton, in a court-martial scene, deverying special mention. "The 'W' Plan" will be shown at the Queen's Theatre beginning Thurs-

### "Tilly of Bloomsbury."

Stereotyped ideas are not the only things they change these swiftly moving times. The entry of talking pictures into the field of modern entertainment calls for a new method of insuring highly salaried film sture against any unforreen accident that might mar the smooth running of Talkie director's schedule. Every moment during the flining of a production costs money-big money, and Jack Raymond who directed the Sterling Co.'s, talkie "Tilly Bloomsbury" has the rare reputation for "atleking to schedule."

But "there's many a slip twix cur and lin." or if on likes "twix mike and voice," so Sterling Film Co., Ltd. have insured Sydney Howard, who is playing the part of Stillbottle in Ian Hay's well-known comedy-not only on general lines but principally for "loss of voice."

The premium was a very heavy one, and in view of the present epidebe understood also when one considers expedition. But all this has been boiled down to exactly 80 minutes' mic of colds and influenza, this can time playing an important comedy, running time on the screen.

In condensing his lengthy film he A Boy." A strain on the vocal has retained only the highlights, the chords there must be for any artist strangest and most thrilling of his who, besides absorbing the usual experiences, the most colourful persmoky atmosphere of a West End somnlities encountered and the unusual Auditorium, further strains the larynx, when the next day at the studio the neculiar and varied inflections of voice necessary for the proper interpretation of the many countries which form the basis for the first file. comedy "linea" have to be spoken to I this film. perfection. But this dual appearance In between are some of the most in theatre and studio is not any new fascinating travel scenes any film experience to Sydney Howard, for he comern has recorded. The deadly was appearing at a West End theatre cobra, the sacred mankeys of India when he also was playing opposite and the white elephant of Siam re-Medeleine Carroll in the successful year themselves and there are talkie version of "French Leave" also glimpses of beautiful dancing gizls, produced by Jack Raymond for Sterle football, an flat and foot prize fight ing Film Co., Ltd.

### CAER CUP

### MRS. SOUTHORN PRESENTS THE TROPHY.

The Caer Clark Cup hockey competition was brought to a close for the season at King's Park on Saturday afternoon, when, playing against a combined team drawn from The Rest, the Hongkong Ladies Hockey Club, who have emerged champions for the third year in succession, secured a victory by four clear goals. They had gone through the season without a single defeat, and the victory was a fitting culmination to a record upon which they can be heartily congratulated, Mrs. W.T. Southorn presented the Cup to the winners.

For the winners, H. Knill was an outstanding forward, whilst B.M. Pope, E.M. Gray, and J. Smalley also played a fine detensive game. M. Woolley, M.D. White, and C. Botelho were amongst the best players in the defented team.

At the close of the match, addressing the large gathering present Mrs. W.T. Bouthorn congratulated the Champions, and had a word of apprecintion and encouragement for the other teams in the League. Referrin the three years of the history she expressed the hope that the competition would go on and on, with more tenms enturing the field.

"This afternoon's match," she said, "is the first I have soon in all my life a terrible confession to make, I know -but I must say that I have really been thrilled and excited all the time, and I have enjoyed the game

very much indeed." Mrs. Southern recalled that Mr J. Ormorod had contributed in large measure to the success of the Hongkong Ladies Hockey Club, and: on their behalf, she presented him with a silver tankard as a taken of their

Mrs. Southorn was presented with a lovely bunch of gladiali, tied with the colours of the H.K.L.H.C., and

There have been many instances in the past when ballerinas have taken the precautionary measure of insuring their legs boxers their hands "Graham Seton," the author of the Flage magicians their fingers, must-Wednesday.

### "Cuckon" Stars Back Again.

For screamingly funny situations, Rudio Pietures' farece "Hook, Line and Sinker," co-featuring Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey coming next Sunday to the Queen's Theatre is the season's masterpiece. It is a "straight" comedy even funnier than "The Cuckoos" and "Half Shot at Sunrise." It lifts these comedy kings into a class by themselves, specialists in comedy both high and low. They are at their best at clowning, and they are also at their bed when With the help of the prisoners and genuine dramatic artistry is required. The story starts with a cont and gains in momentum, which never slackens speed nor volume. The boys start out as insurance salesmen . politely steal a whole railroad train butt in on the affairs of a beautiful girl. . . take over the hotel she has downgers and their lewels then, when publicity brings all the

rooks in creation into the hotel, the plot begins in enraest, The girl's mother detests Wheeler. Woolsey plots to marry the mother so he can become the girl's father and give her to Wheeler. The crooks plot to slay the heroes and con every-

thing for themselves. Dorothy Lee, as the daughter gives her usual vivacious performance. Jobyna Howland, the tall comedienne of "Dixiana" is a scream. Fine dramatic artists, Ralph Harolde, George Marion. Natalia Moorhead, Stanley Fields, and Bill Davidson, round out in all-star supporting east for the

### Fairbanks in "Around The World."

In a world in which speed has become a matter of supreme importance, nothing has been more intriguing than the efforts of men to set new records for encircling the world. Jules Verne staggered the human imagination when he wrote his "Around the World in 80 days", a feat which at a time was thought incredible.

Now comes Douglas Fairbanks inviting the public to accompany him "Around the World in 80 Minutes". his latest United Artists super-special production, shown to crowded houses at the Central Theatre within the last two days.

The Fairbanks record in a cinematic one, record his adventures in a recent journey on which he was accompanied by a sound camera. The adventure-loving Doug, actual-

ly spent several months on his jount to the strange and far-away places. Several hundred thousand feet of film negative was shot during the

and other interesting events.

### SHARE PRICES.

### TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

The following is the list of local hare quotations issued to-day:

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Benguets, \$11.75 n. Kailans, 30/- n. S'hai Explorations, Tla. 2.10 n. Raubs, \$39 n.

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Tramways, \$21.40 aa. Peak Trams, (old), \$15.60 n. Star Ferries; \$91 b. China Lights, \$21 b. H.K. Electrics, \$7415. Macao Electrica, \$23 n. Telephones, \$41 n. China Buses, Tls. 16 n. Singapore Tractions, 3/- n.

#### Industrials.

Malabons, \$22 s. Canton Ices, \$5 b. Cements (com.) \$18.75 b. Ropes, \$17% n.

### Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$28.75 b. Watsons, \$15,60 b. Der A. Wings. \$1 n. Lane Crawfords, \$5.25 b. Mackintosh, \$19 b. Sinceres \$14.70 n. Powells, \$3.60 n.

### Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$201/4 b. Entertainments (old) \$151/2 n. Constructions (old) \$6 b. S. C. Enterprises \$10 n. B. Ind. G. \$ Bonds, \$58% n. Loans, \$4% b. Prem. Constructions (new), \$1.75 n.

#### **HUSBANDS AREN'T** WHAT THEY WERE.

tial. If he didn't go out and bring home an icthypsaurus steak now and again his wife would starve. His was the strong right hand that

Then Man got that queer notion Bears Fund ...... 120.000 into his head about protecting the weak from the strong. When he started in on that scheme he sounded his own death-knell. He only meant to protect weak men from strong men, but his missus saw possibilities in it for her, and she's been exploiting them ever since.

Now he has completely lost it The modern wife doesn't threaten to go home, but back to the office, where she would carn enough to: ly he daren't risk losing her. That's Capital & Surplus over H\$8,000,000 Batavia slowly and surely undermining od. the husband's prestige and position. Why, thanks to women, a man isn't even the owner of his rencies opened for clients. wife's property now; she is allowed to own it her If. If that isn't posit Boxes. decadence I don know what is.

So far as the great mass of peo- the world. ple are concerned, the post of father might just as well be abolished altogether. His wife can ensily look after herself; the State educates his children, gives them they need it and feeds them when they are hungry. Father needn't be on the map.

nation—their morale is even lower, iron justice, for an inferiority comif that's possible. True, they have plex cannot be put on and off like to find the money for everything, a coat, but their wives give them not the slightest credit for the way they find it. The wives say it's no more than they ought to do-and the FUNNIER THAN "HALF SHOT" men let them get away with it.

#### (Continued from Page 6.)

time Man was absolutely essenensured her continued existence.

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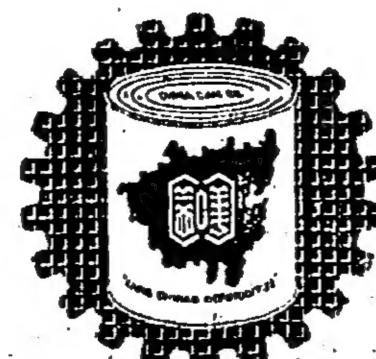
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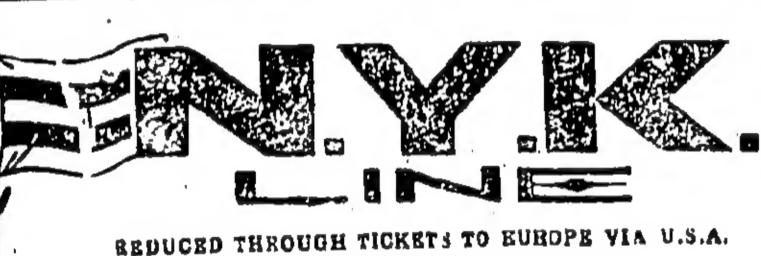
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#### SCHOOL SPORTS.

QUEEN'S COLLEGE HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING.

Queen's College held Its Seventeenth Annual Athletic Meeting on Saturday CIXTY-TWO thousand spectators afternoon at Causeway Bay, Although D watched the Cup-final rehearsal no records were broken, several good at Highbury yesterday between the performances were recorded, and some Arsenal and Newcastle. of the finishes were as close as could be desired, thus adding to the enjoy-ment of the participants and the the game.

spectators alike. on the programme and the organisers Division. are to be congratulated on the success

Senior Championship. In the junior season.—Our Own Correspondent. division, Yu Hing-wan swept the The results, with the exception of boards, being placed in almost every the Second Division, Scottish Lengue, event in which he started.

At the conclusion of the meeting. Mr. F. J. de Rome, the Headmaster of the School, after congratulating the winners and thanking the organisers of the meeting, called upon Mr. Lo Cheung-shiu, J.P., an old "Q.C." to distribute the prizes.

#### Results.

The full results were: Champion-Long Jump (Senior ship):-1, M. el Arculli; 2, Li Suihung; 3, Pang Hoi-ying. Distance .-18 ft. 1 in.

Long Jump (Junior Champion-ship:-1, Yu Hing-wan; 2, Ku Manwah, 3, Y. Hassan, Distance.-14 ft. 11 ins. Yards (Senior Champion- B.

ship):--1, F. R. Abbas; 2, Chan Yu- B chuen; 3, M, el Arculli. Yards (Junior Championship):-1. Yu Hing-wan; 2. Chan Kamesung; 3, Y. Hassan. Jump (Senior Champion-

ship) i -1. M. el Arculli; 2. F. R. Abban; 3, Li Sul-hung and Wong S Kumelook. Height: 5 ft. 2 ins. High Jump (Junior Championship): -1, Ku Man-wah; 2, Yu Hing- | Brentford wan and Chang Chak-lau. Height Cardiff t ft. 2 ins. 120 Yards Hurdles (Senior Cham- Exeter

pionship): -1, Ip Sik-ling; 2, Li Shul- Falham hung: 3, K. Nazarin. 120 Yards Burdles (Junior Cham- Luton plonship) :- 1, Ku Man-wah; 2, Yu Northampton Hing-wan; 3, Chu Kuen-kin. Half Mile Handicap:-- 1, Hui Tsze- Southend

taun: 2, Yau Ping-luen; 3, Lam Tsoi- Thames Three-Legged Race:-1, A. M. and A. R. Abbas; 2, N. and S. Lee. 100 Yards (Class 8):-1, Chu Koonhon; 2, Lui San-chuen; 3, Kwong Yu-

Yards, (Senior Champion- Hal ship); -- i. Chan Fook-tin; 2, Hung Hai Kit-chiu; 3, M. el Arculli. 440 Yards (Junior Champion- Lin ship):-1, Yu Hing-wan; 2, Ku Man- Ne wah; 3, Chau Kam-sing. One Mile Race:-1, Leung Kam-

too; 2, Hui Tsze-tsun and A. M. Invitation Relay Race:-1, St. Joseph's College; 2, Central British Aberdeen

Old Boys' Potato and Spoon Race:- Clyde 1, F. Grosc. Yards (Senior Champion- Falkirk ship) :-- 1, Chau Fook-tin; 2, Hung Leith Kit-chiu; 3, M. el Arculli. 220 Yards (Junior Championship):-i, Yu Hing-wan; 2, Ku Manwah; 3, Chau Kam-shing.

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Consolation Race:-Hung Mo-chiu; L! Hang-fat. Senior Champion:-M. el Arculli. Junior Champion:-Yu Hing-wan.

#### ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE. Enjoyable Afternoon Spent At Stanley.

The students of St. Stephen's College spent an enjoyable afternoon at Stanley on Saturday when the Annual Athletic Meeting was held. A feature of the sports was the excellent performances recorded in several (Time: 10.2/5 secs\*); 2, Tan Yong-

Yung-mee cleared a height of 5 ft. (Time: 25 secs.); 2, Tan Yung-mee. 4½ ins., which is equal to the local 440 Yards:—1, Kwik Slang-kee Inter-School Record. Choa Keng-ju (Time: 58.3/5 secs.); 2, How Suenwon the Putting-the-Shot Event with cheung. a put of 33 ft. 111/4 ins., which betters High Jump:-1, Tan Yung-mee (II Peter 3; 10, 18). the Inter-School Record, The 100 (Height: 5 ft. 41/2 ins.\*) 2, Kwik Yards Dash was won by Kwik Siang- Slang-kee. kee in the good time of 10.2/5 secs., Long Jump:-1, Liang Pao-kwei the Christian Science textbook, and Koh Hor-khoon created a new (Distance: 19 ft. 91/2 ins.\*); 2, Tan school record by registering 19 ft, 11 Yung-mee.

ins. in the Long Jump. There was a large number of spectators at the meeting, among them being Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shen- Cheung Wing-ngai. ton, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. P. Lauder, Putting the Shot:—1, Chos Keng-ju and Mr. and Mrs. Lau Kai, The (Distance: 38 ft. 111/2 ins.\*); 2, Kwik prizes were distributed by Mrs. S. F. Choo-bing. Tan at the conclusion of the meeting. Among the trophies was a handsome mee; 2. Kon Hor-khoon. shield presented for the Three Mile

#### Association. Results.

Choung Wing-ngai....

The full results were: Small Boys.

Egg and Spoon:-1, Han Ting. Relay:-Group B. quen; 2, Ngo Chlu-eng. Three-Legged:-1, Ngo Chiu-eng and Cheung Wing-jor; 2, Tang Hungtak and Lam Shiu-cheung. Obstacle:-1, Ngo Chiu-eng; 100 Yards:-1, Tang Hung-tak; 2, for Hongkong Inter-Schools Sports. Cheung Wing-jor.

High Jump:-1, Tang Hung-tak and Lee Khoon-lu. 14 Miles:-1, Tang Hung-tak; Joseph's College); 2, Lok Yan-kook 2. Ngo Chiu-eng; 8, Poo Sco-dong. 100 Yards:-1, Koh Hor-khoon; 2.

220 Yards:-1, Koh Hor-khoon; Go Kheng-hoe. 440 Yards:-1, Choung Wing-ngal; 2, Lee Wan-yik. High Jump:-1, Cheung Wing- Group Championship:-Group "B" ngai; 2, Choung Wing-ngok. Long Jump:—1, Koh Hor-khoon; 2, Group "C" (89 points).
Cheung Wing-ngai, Distance: 19 1t. Children's Race:—1, Ann-Fosteo; 2,
11 ins. (School record).

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### HOME FOOTBALL.

ARSENAL WIN CUP

REHEARSAL London, Mar. 20.

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Leeds created a surprise by losing Weather conditions were favourable at home to Manchester United, who and the meeting attracted a large completely outplayed them, and number of friends and old boys. Wolverhampton Wanderers have now There were no fewer than 21 items doposed Leeds as leaders of the Second

Everton, who won with case have now scored 101 goals to date this By winning two events and placed season, and Dean's three goals yestern two others, M. el Arculli won the day was his seventh "hat-trick" this

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100 Yards:--1, Kwik Slang-kee noise, and the elements shall melt

In the High Jumping Event, Tan 220 Yards:--1, Kwik Siang-kee

Obstacle:-1, Kwik Choo-bing; Hop, Step and Jump:-1, Tan Yung-

Half Mile:-1, Lee Hun-sing (Time: Ruce by the Shun Loo Old Boys' 2 mins. 83 sees.); 2, Chin Tsan-yain; 3. Vidya. 3 Miles:-1, How Suen-cheung; 2, Cheung Wing-ngai; 3, Ling Sung-hei.

Servants:-1, Ah Kao; 2, Hui Tung-

shing; 3, Yung Sao. \* Equal to, or better than, record Old Boys:-1, Lo Kwang-mia; 2, Visitors:-1, John Sequeira (St.

#### (Man San College). Challenge Cups, etc.

Three Miles:-How Soon-cheung. Junior Championship:-Koh Horkhoon (17 points). Senior Championship:-Kwik Slangkee (19 points). (108 points); Group "A" (97 points);

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### DUE SOON AT THE QUEEN'S. THREE KINDS OF LOVE.

(Continued from Page 3.)

to be led along, "is that if you're going as far as the fire house, I don't see why you can't go on the rest of the way and call on him yourself and tell him yourself about o Mr. Carmichael and all, instead of me calling on him and giving him

a letter." "All I can say to that," deplored 1 Mary-Frances, "is that if you don't just naturally understand a thing like this, Ermintrude, just naturally understand it, it wouldn't be any use in the world for me to try to explain if to you. I'd do as much o for you, any time. And, anyway, 0 I don't think it is such an awful lot to do, considering that I'm right. in the midst of a life tragedy and

"Mary-Frances," said Ermintrade, "are you positively certain that you flunked algebra this morn-

"That's about the hundredth time you've asked me. What's the use of talking about it all the time?" "You don't even care, do you, that we won't get our ponies to ride

in camp nor anything?" "I do too care. But I think your father will get yours anyway. It wouldn't be right not to get yours

just because I flunked." "The trouble with Daddy," sighed Ermintrude, "is that he always does just exactly what he says he will, and he never does what he says he won't. He said if we both passed in everything he'd get us both ponies to ride. And if we had, he'd of got the ponies if he'd had to go to Pendle, in or some place and steal 'em. But since you flunked, o he won't, and that's all there is to ii I guess I know my own father

better than you do." (To be Continued.)

### LESSON SERMON.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST. SCIENTIST, HONGKONG.

"Matter" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, yesterday. The Golden Text was-"Be still and know that I am God. will be exalted among the heathen, I will be exalted in the earth." (Ps. 46; 10). Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Blble,-"The day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the heavens shall pass away with a great with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burnt up. Nevertheless we, according to his promise, look for new heavens and a new earth. wherein dwelleth rightcousness.

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy,-"Every object in material thought will be destroyed, but the spiritual idea, whose substance is Mind, is eternal. The offspring of God start not from matter or ephemeral dust. They are in and of Spirit, divine Mind. and so forever continue (p. 267).

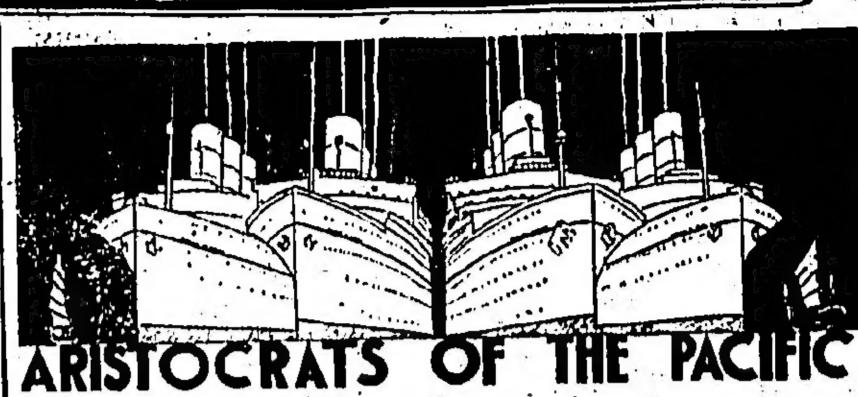
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respondent, a gloomy view of France's financial position is taken the Treasury was almost ment. empty. Public expenditure had grown immeasurably, while receipts were dwindling. The deficit the matter says that it is at present for the 1938 budget would not be engaged in a careful re-examina-

From Washington it is reported questions involved .- Reuter. that unless new revenue is found, immediately, the United States Treasury will face a deficit of during the past few months, the of those the year before.

the Sales Tax, which is at present effort. meeting very stiff opposition in the House of Representatives, from re-

No Relaxation Yet.

London, Mar. 19.

### GOVERNMENT TRIES ITS OWN PLAN.

TO SETTLE INDIA'S MANY COMMUNAL PROBLEMS.

London, Mar 19.

After the failure of the Round munal problem in India itself, the British Government, in accordance According to Reuter's Paris cor- with the Prime Minister's statement in December, firmly intends in a speech by the aged former Pro- to introduce without delay, its mier, M. Caillaux, who declared own scheme for a provisional settle- that from The Hague.

The Government's statement on less than seven milliards of francs, tion of the difficult controversial

\$2,500,000,000 at the end of the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. financial year, compared with a Neville Chamberlain, In a speech deficit of \$903,000,000 last year. The total of income tax receipts at Birmingham, uttored a warning for the fiscal year, which began on against optimistic assumptions that June 30, is little more than half the emergency which called the and Dutch Governments' rejection of way authorities have agreed to by us in any case whatever. Hence the anxlety of the Governtence, was over, and against pretence, was over, and against prewhich, it is understood, provided for present, owing to the shortage of

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#### RUBBER PROBLEM INSURMOUNTABLE.

REGULATION OF EXPORT impossible.

The Hague, Mar. 10. A Government communique states that the English and Dutch Governments have come to the conclusion that it is impossible under present conditions to frame and operate an tion and export of rubber.

According to a Dutch rubber au- were beaten off. thority, interviewed by Reuter, 144 different rubber restriction schomes had been submitted during the past two years, most of them proving to be useless. He added that the quota scheme had had a chance, but care ful examination had proved that the difficulties in Malaya were insur-

A large increase in world stocks Japanese troops to assist will result from the situation created garrison. by the two Governments,-Reuter.

Small Producers Hit.

London, Mar. 20. European plantations by 45 per cent. Special. of the 1929 output and a proportionnte reduction of native ouput, it in bels of both parties, who are de- change for the better since the pointed out that conditions are now manding an increased income tax National Government took office, very different from those prevailing from the wealthler classes,-Reu- which has been described as almost when the Stevenson scheme was in-

> The United States, which is the maintain the course that brought largest consumer, has accumulated an it about, namely, determination to enormous amount of rubber, and the potential output of the world is now

much larger. It is suggested that the decision may be due to a dlangreement as regards the form of restriction, while it may have been influenced by the fact that no scheme for the restriction of or thut of any commodity has been successful during the present slump. It is thought that the decision may mean, failing a rapid expansion of demand, that the very weak producers will be forced out of business, -- ficu-

### OBITUARY.

DEATH OF A CONSERVATIVE | ment of Manchuria or responsible MEMBER.

London, Mar. 19. The death occurred to-day of Dr. G. B. Hillman, Conservative member in the House of Commors for Wakefield. At the last elee tion he defeated the Labour or ponent by 15,881 against 11,774. British Wireless

### French Commant,

Shanghai, Mar. 20. Colonel A. F. Marcaire, Commandant of the French forces in Shanghai, died from pneumonia today, at the age of 53 years.

He had been in Shanghai since 1930, and during the recent trouble was in charge of the defence measures in the French Concession. --Our Own Correspondent.

### REGISTRATION TIME.

POSTPONED TO SEPTEMBER BY CHINA.

Nanking, Mar. 20. The Ministry for Communications has announced that the time limit for the registration of shipping nationality, originally set for March 31, has been postponed to September, owing to the unsettled conditions throughout the country .- Reuter.

#### **NEW STATE IN** DIFFICULTIES.

MORE OUTBREAKS IN MANCHURIA.

Harbin, Mar. 20.

Fighting is still going on in various parts of Manchuria, ac- named steamer are hereby informed cording to Japanese reports that their goods with the exception of which state that a large force Oplum, Treasure and Valuables are conditions to frame and operate an of anti-Manchukuo Kirin troops being landed and placed at their risk the effective regulation of the production and appears of rubber attacked the Japanese garrison Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd., at Ninguta on Saturday morning. Kowloon whence delivery can be The British Colonial Office has Four Japanese bombing acro- obtained as the goods are landed issued a communique identical with planes took part in the defence of Goods not cleared within 7 days the city and the Chinese forces including date of arrival, will be

> old Kirin troops attacked the Man- 25th March, 1982, or thy will not be chukuo garrison at Shihtowhotse, recognized .-60 miles South of Harbin, and 80 Damaged Packages must be left in harassed the garrison that the Japanese authorities here were consignees, and the Company's Surconsidering the despatch

Further Japanese troops are re-ported to be needed along the No claims will be admitted and the Eastern section of the Chinese goods have left the Godowns. In connexion with the English Eastern Railway, and the rail- No Fire Insurance will be effected National Government into exist the rubber restriction scheme, evolved transport them, although they ment supporters to rush through mature relaxation of national the restriction of production on wagons.—Reuter's Morning Post

### Irregulars Active.

Harbin, Mar. 20.

It is reported that the property and land owned by Generals Ting Tsao, Li Du and Mo Teh-hui wiil be auctioned by the urban council

The situation on the Chinese Eastern line is worse. The substation at Izvestkovaya, near Ashiho, was attacked yesterday by irregulars, who Kidnapped 20 railway employees.

The district superintendent at Ashiho has telegraphed to the railway manager refusing responsibility for the movement of trains; because he cannot repair the track .-- Reuter.

### No Connection.

Tokyo, Mar. 19. Denying that Japan was in any way related to the new Governfor its appearance, the Foreign Office has handed a communication to the Chinese Legation replying to the Chinese Note of March I

In outlining the causes leading to the declaration of independence, the reply admits that Japan is sympathetic toward the new Government as it holds out hope that Japanese rights and interests will be respected, and that peace and order in Manchurin, wherein Japan is vitally interested, will be maintained, but the reply emphasises that this sympathy does not entail active support,---Renter.

### Foreign Opinion.

London, Mar. 19. "The duty of every responsible mind now is to promote a process of quieting down in the Far East," says the Observer. "If Geneva and Washington really mean to provide for a safer future they will use all their exertions! to induce China to renounce the method of boycott."

Referring to Manchuria, the Observer says that they are no friends of the League who do not recognise that some special regime is implied by treaty rights and is required by practical interests of peace.-Reuter.

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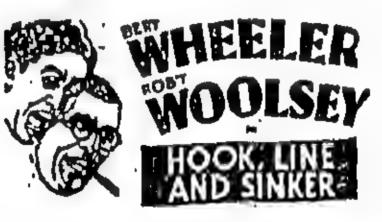
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#### THE BANK OF EAST ASIA MEETING.

The thirteenth ordinary annual meeting of shareholders of the Bank Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Southorn. Pay. of East Asia, Ltd. was held at the Comdr. Grace, Captain Cameron. registered offices, 10, Des Voeux Mr. Baskervyle-Glegg. Road Central, on Saturday, the Hon Sir Shouson Chow presiding. Prosent wore Mezra. P. K. Kwek, Wong Yan Tong, Li Koon Chun, Wong Chu Son, Chan Ching Shek (Directors), Kan Tong Po (Chief Manager), Li Tau Fong (Manager), and the following the Sovernment House. shareholders, Mesars. Li Lan Sang: Pun Hin Cho, Chow Tung Sang, bett arrived at Government Kwok Siu Lau, N. V. A. Croucher, House. Wm. Ngartae Thomas, Chow Chi Nam, Fung Ping Fun, K. K. Lee, Li Tung, Li Pak To, Chan Tse Tsoi, Li tain Le Mottee, H.M.S. "Devon-Po Tin, Lung Tin Tong, Tam Cheong shire," called on His Excellency Taun, Tao Shuk Hon, and K. K. Wong. the Governor and lunched at Gov-After the notice convening the ernment House.

meeting had been read by the Chief His Excellency the Governor Manager, the Chairman said: and Lady Peel performed the Gentlemen,-Before I proceed with opening ceremony of the War the ordinary business of this meeting, Memorial Nursing Home. I have to record, with deep regret, Shan, which took place on August 2 cellency the Governor presided at Ho Tung, Messra. C. Bernard Brown, last year. The late Mr. Fung was the meetings of the Executive and A. H. Compton, L. Dunbar, T. E. one of the founders and a permanent Legislative Councils. one of the founders and a permanent Legislative Councils. director of this bank and took an | Lady Peel presided at a meetactive part in its development and ling of the Empire Food Commit-

The report of the Directors, i together with the Balance Sheet at the Governor, Captain T. A. H. helders. December 31, 1931, and the Auditor's Coltman, A.D.C., altended the

The net profit for the year, includfaymenble than that of the previous year, is more than adequate to enable your Directors to maintain the same dividend of \$6.00 and the usual bonus House, of \$2.00 per share, and to recommend the transfer of \$200,000.00 to General at dinner: Reserve, bringing up same to \$2,450,-

deposits show an appreciable increase Claxton, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Potfrom \$17,879,736.84 at the end of 1930 ter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Owen Hughes, to \$23,987,962.48 at December 31, Professor Middleton,-Smith, Pr 1931. The Directors are very happy fessor and Mrs. Simpson, Profesevidence of progress made by the for and Mrs. Forster, Professor to be able to lay before you this! Bank during the year, but in view of and Mrs. Faid, Professor and the unsettled trading conditions Mrs. Tottenham, Professor Davia, throughout the world, your manage- Mr. and Mrs. Goldsmith, Conment had not been able to make full mander and Mrs. Newill, Mr. and employment of the increased funds Mrs. Lowick, Dr. Farr, Mr. and entrusted to us. You will observe in Mrs. Murdoch, Miss Farr. this connexion that our loan Account shows an increase of about \$1,700,-000.00 only.

#### Founders' Fees.

presents the price paid for a suitable ford and Cambridge Society. site in the City of Canton for future

before the end of this year. chiminating the rights and privileges this has been seconded, I placing them on the same footing as my ability any questions .Share-the Ordinary Shares. I am glad to be able to say that sanction has Mr. Kwok Siu Lau seconded. already been obtained from Share-

### GOVERNMENT

Sunday, March 18-The following dined at Government House: H.E. Major-General Sandilands. Sir George and Lady Lambert.

Cosmopolitan Dock, where he was Sir George and Lady Lambert

Tuesday, March 15 .- Mr. Cor- To add to Reinsurance Wednesday, March 16.-Cap-

Thursday, March 17 .-- His Ex-

tee held at Government House.

Hia Excellency the Governor ing the amount brought forward from and Lady Peel attended the Anthe previous year, amounts to \$1.010, and Ball given by the Society of 823,17 which, though somewhat less St. Patrick at the Peninsula Hotel. Friday, March 18. Mr. A. E

Wood arrived at Government

Saturday, March 19 .- Mr. A. E. Wood left Government House. His Excellency the Governor

accompanied by Mr. G. W. A. Tuf-

of ore the end of this year.

Our Investment Account shows a in the near future. I may add that Auditors.—The accounts for the decrease of about \$11,000.00 and has after this had been done, the Bank year have been audited by Mesars. begin written down to the actual will be benefited to the extent that Lower Bingham and Matthews, Charmarket prices ruling on December 31, no honus to holders of Founder tered Accountants, who, being 1931. I do not think there is any Shares and Directors will be charged eligible, offer themselves for rething in the Balance Sheet that re- against the profit made each year. quires my explanation, but I wish to With these remarks I beg to protake this opportunity to inform our pose that the Report of the Directors adoption of the Report and Accounts shareholders that the Directors are and the Balance Sheet at December 31, was carried unanimously. taking steps with the object of 1931 as presented be adopted. When attached to Founder Shares and endeavour to answer to the best of

There were no questions, and the

### COMPANY REPORTS.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO.'S PROFIT.

The report of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Co. Ltd. for the year ended December 31 is as dollows: 1930 Account.—This Account shows Monday, March 14.—His Excel a surplus of \$015,420,84, and it is lency the Governor visited the recommended that this sum be ap-

propriated as follows: To pay a Dividend of \$50 per share ....\$400,000.00 To pay an "Exchange"

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1931 Account .-- The balance at credit of this Account is \$524,295.67. Consulting Committee. Sir Robert being eligible, offer themselves for reelection. Mr. Felix A. Joseph has necepted an invitation to join the Consulting Committee, his election re-Representing His Excellency quires the confirmation of Share-

Report, having been in your hands for some time, I will, with your permis. Column, A.D.C., altended the Auditors.—The Accounts have been some time, I will, with your permis. funeral of M. Koechlin, late Con-audited by Mesars. Lowe, Bingham Auditors.-The Accounts have been sion, follow the local custom and take sul, General for France at Shang and Matthews and Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming who, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

Hongkong Engineering and Construction Co. Ltd. The report of the Directors of the Hongkong Engineering and Construction Co. Ltd. for the year ended December 31 is as follows:

The act profit for the year, after The following were the guests charging \$10,433,00 for depreciation and providing for directors' and Hon. Mr. and Mrs. King, Mr. auditors' fees, amounts to \$99,858.59 and Mrs. Lindsell, Mr. and to which has to be added balance You will notice from the Balance Mrs. de Martin, Mr. and Mrs. brought forward from last account, Short before you that the total Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Jacks, Mr. \$28,791.55, leaving available at balance of profit and loss account \$128,650.13 with which it is proposed to deal as follows:

To pay a Dividend of 20 per cent, viz., 40 cents per share on the "Old" shares, absorbing .....\$ 38,830.00

To pay a Dividend of 20 per cent., viz., 14 cents per share on the "New"

shares, absorbing ..... 4,121.05 To carry forward to credit of next year's Account . 85,609.08

\$128.050.13

Directors,-Mr. J. T. Bagram re-The increase of the sum of \$13,778. ton (Private Secretary), attend- signed from the Board on August 5, 07 in Bank Building Account re- ed the annual dinner of the Ox- 1931, On August 6, 1931, Mr. Lo Cheung Shiu was invited to join the Board and his appointment requires use of our branches. I may mention .---- the confirmation of ahareholders. that building operation has already holders at the Extraordinary Meet- Sie Robert Ho Tung, Kt., and Sir been started and I expect the new ings held on January 30 and on Elly Kadoorie, K.H.E., retire by premises will be ready for occupation February 27, 1932, that will enable rutation, and, being eligible, affer

Mr. Chew Tung Sang proposed, and Mr. Pun Hiu Cho seconded the redection of Messrs, Percy Smith, Seth. and Fleming as Auditors for the

ensuing year. The Chairman announced that dividend warrants are payable to-day.

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ATTRACTIONS.

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### SHANGHAI RELIEF.

WORK OF THE HONGKONG CONTINGENT.

A graphic story of the treatment of the Chinese wounded and their in their work and their service was excellent morale was related by Dr. highly appreciated by the soldiers of the Nineteenth Route Army, who Li Sung on Saturday afternoon at said that such excellent treatment a tea-party given in his honour at formed a contrast to the hard time the Chinese Merchants Club by they had in Kiangsi fighting the several of the prominent Chinese Communists, when the wounded medical practitioners of Hong- food to keep alive, let alone medikong. Dr. Li Sung and two other cine. Hongkong Chinese' doctors were lenders of the first group of Hongkong nurses who left for Shanghai doctors and nurses had to follow the some weeks ago to assist the Red army to Soochow and other remoter Cross workers there in the relief of districts. The authorities of the

were at one stage as many as 6,000 of the Cantonese to speak the to 7,000 Chinese wounded soldiers Shanghai dialect. in the Settlement requiring the most urgent medical treatment. It is understood that the Hong-Owing to this serious situation, kong Chinese medical practitioners Dr. W. S. New, the Chairman of Intend to sond an Ambulance car the National Medical Association and an X-Ray set to Shanghai. of China, and the doctors from Nanking and Peking, had an exceedingly busy time finding accommodation and 38 temporary mili- nurses to Shanghai, has wired to tary hospitals were opened.

Chinese and how schools and public splendidly.

buildings were converted into hospitals within twenty-four hours.

Soldiers' Appreciation.

Dr. Li Sung said that the Cantonese nurses and the doctors in Shanghai showed great enthusiasm soldiers could hardly, get enough

As a result of the Chinese rethe thousands of wounded soldiers. Red Cross had advised the Hongkong contingent not to venture into According to Dr. Li Sung there the interior because of the inability

It is understood that the Hong-

the Chinese medical practitioners stating that he has made all the The speaker mentioned how, the necessary arrangements with the management of these temporary Red Cross leaders to find accommon hospitals was carried out in the dation and work for the nurses most splendid manner through the under his command, and that all the co-operation of all classes of visitors are doing their work.



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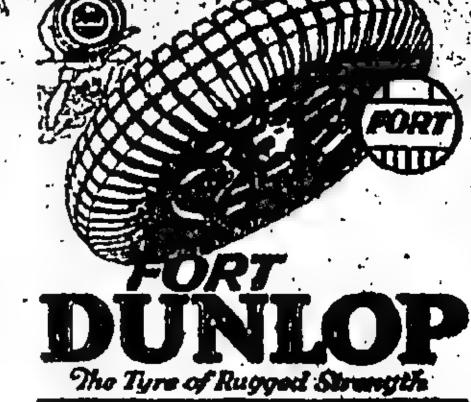
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### MEETING TO-DAY.

Shanghai, Mar. 21, 12.43 p.m. CHANGHAI'S HOPES OF A PEACE SETTLEMENT, INSPIRED BY THE AGREEMENT TENTATIVELY REACHED ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON, HAVE BEEN RUDELY SHATTERED.

Instructions have been received from their respective Governments by both the Chinese and Japanese delegations, demanding modifications of the terms reached on Saturday, and it is quite evident that a complete ed on Saturday, and it is quite evident that a complete settlement of the peace question will not be forthcoming as early as had been expected.

The door has not been closed to further efforts to reach an agreed settlement. Representatives of China and Japan are meeting at four o'clock this afternoon in the presence of neutral observers when, doubtless, the views of their Governments will be made clear.

It is learned that in accordance chude provision for the estention of KEEN with their instructions from Nan- 'a portion of the Japanese forces at king, the Chinese delegates will Woosung, as well as diriations of raise the question of fixing a de- the provisions for the control of the finite date for the withdrawai of evacuated area, are considered to

### JAPAN'S DEMAND.

ernment, which are reported to in boom-Reuter.

As a result of the conflict of | viewpoints indicated, a serious | On the other hand, the modifien- wrangle is to be expected when the tions demanded by the Tokyo Gov- | delegations meet again this after-

### FLOOD DISASTER RELIEF.

### URGENT APPEAL FOR FUNDS.

London, Mar. 21.

An urgent appeal for funds for the relief of Chinese flood sufferers, is made in a letter appearing in to-day's Times, signed by the Archbishop of York, Lord Cecil, Sir Charles Addis, Sir Arthur Dalter and Sir A.F. Whyte, among

of a message from Sir John Hope near Nanking, moving eastward. Simpson stating that unless addi- Local forecast :-- N.E. tional funds are immediately pro- fresh; generally cloudy. vided, he will be unable to carry

on the work now in his hands. A sum of £100,000 monthly is disastrons floods is to be avoided needed to enable the necessary this year, minimum work of relief and con- A small committee has been

### GRAF ZEPPELIN IN AIR AGAIN.

### FIRST OF A SERIES OF FLIGHTS.

Friedrichshafen, Mar. 21. Eckener in command, took off, and several other Chinese .- Reuter. half an hour after midnight, for

Pernambuco. This is the first of a series of voyages to South America this year. The giant airship is carrying nine passengers .- Reuter.

The Royal Observatory reports The letter discloses the receipt that the anticyclone is central

struction of dykes in the next! formed with an office in London to three months if a repetition of the receive subscriptions.-Reuter.



Taken in the middle of Chapel, our photo shows one of the shandoned Chinese trench-systems, constructed on the site of buildings levelled to the ground



An idea of the enormous material damage done in Shanghai during the recent campaign may be gathered from this picture of a part of shell-torn Chapei. The Chief of the Department of Statistics puts the total known losses at over \$1,500,000,000.

## INSPECTION.

### TRAFFIC BLOCK ON BUND.

### INTEREST.

Shanghai, Mar. 21. Traffic was completely blocked on the Bund in the vicinity of the Cathay Hotel from 8.45 to 9.20 this morning, revealing the immense the Japanese troops from Shanghai. by unacceptable in Chinese circles, interest being taken in the activiies of the Lytton Commission.

Thousand of people, foreigners and Chinese, gathered at the Cathay Hotel from 8 o'clock onwards to watch the Lytton Commission leave on their tour of inspection of the Chapei-Kiangwan battle-lines.

Twenty motor-cars, including three carrying a Japanese armed escort, left for Yangtszepon at

The Commission is then proceeding through Klangwan and

Chapei Besides the members of the Istton Commission, and numerous Japanese delegates, the touring The Graf Zeppelin, with Dr. party includes Dr. Wellington Koo

### CHIANG KAI-SHEK.

### STILL POPULAR THE ARMY.

Shanghai, Mar. 21, 10.05 a.m. A number of leading military winds, officers, including the various Igonerals in command of the Nine-| cussion. decided to issue two teenth Route Army, to-day wired tion of the chairmanship of the other to the League of Nations, Military Council.—Router.

> A sampan proceeding from Yaumati to Hongkong, yesterday, was run down by the steam-launch Foi Hung and capsized, throwing both the been similarly lost from the boat.

the forces in the Far East.

lor: reconditioning

## DISCUSSED.

## DECISIONS.

SHANGHAI, MAR. 21. DUBLICATION OF THE MAIN POINTS OF THE PEACE PROPOSALS TENTATIVELY AGREED BY THE CHINESE DELEGATES TO THE PRE-LIMINARY CONFERENCES (ALREADY DOUBT FULLY RECEIVED BY TOKYO) HAVE AROUSED A STORM OF PROTEST AMONG LEADING LOCAL CHINESE.

A meeting of the various civic bodies, including the numerous National Salvation Associations, has been held and the attitude of the Chinese representatives was vigorously criticised.

THE ORGANISATION OF A GENERAL STRIKE AND INDIGNATION DEMONSTRATIONS THROUGHOUT CHINA WERE DISCUSSED.

tive pence agreement was humiliat. validity of such an agreement IN ing to China, and a strike and de- delegates .- Reuter. monstrations must be regarded as serious possibilities if note of the protest is not taken.

circular 'telegrams, one addressed Commission.

### - CALL TO MASSES.

In the first telegram, the masses water. They were rescued, but the of China are urged to rise up like passenger alleged that he lost \$44 one man in opposition to any from his clothes whilst in the water, agreement in which China's terriwhile a smaller sum is stated to have torial sovereignty is signed away In the second, it is stated that

AMERICAN NAVAL ORDERS.

SHORTLY.

It was contended that the tenta-|China will never recognise the even if it is signed by the Chinese

### OFFICIAL ATTITUDE.

Mr. Yeh Chu-tsang. Secretary- Hill. The meeting, after a lengthy dis- General of the Central Political Council, has made a statement to the effect that the tense atmosphere which had prevailed at afterwards the bandmaster was in 1928 as Second Assistant Audi-Chiang Kai-shek on his assump- to 'the people of China and the Shanghai seemed to have metamor- given an audience and congratula- tor, and has acted as Auditor and phosed into one of comparative ted upon a fine performance. calmness, while, as a matter of the United States and the Lytton fact, the past week might be aptly velopments. The whole nation had now entered on the "action" stage, and party and government authorities alike were busily engaged in the carrying out of their re- BOISTEROUS BUT spective duties.

### "MISUNDERSTANDING."

Continuing, Mr. Yeh intimated that while the Government authorities had already decided upon a set of definite policies in regard to the national crisis, the time was this precaution on the part of the Government not to make known its details too early that had aroused a lot of misunderstanding from the Piccadilly Circus last night. At the same time, the arrange- general public. However, said Mr. Some speculation has been ments for the possible early Yeh, the Government was prepararoused by orders issued by the withdrawal of the Sist Infantry of the people rather than to run Navy Department in reference to Regiment from Shanghai have the risk of an untimely exposure been changed. The U.S. transport of important national policies on Six destroyers and six sub- Chaumont, which has been held in which the very existence of the marines, at present stationed in readiness to proceed to Shanghai country depended. The Govern-Manila, have been instructed to to take these troops to Manila, has there would be a time when the April 18 to be placed in reserve now been ordered to sail for San stand it had taken would be even-Francisco on March 80 -- Rester. Lunlly vindicated.

### COUNCIL ELECTIONS.

### IN SPEECHES.

### SOMETHING NEW.

("Telegraph" Special).

Shanghai, Mar 21. Shanghai has entered upon a phase hitherto foreign to local affairs, in connexion with the elections for the Municipal Council, polling

for which takes place to-day. The interest aroused is keener than ever before, a good more than the usual mild thusiasms being displayed, as failure. owing to recent events, the speeches of the candidates have

had a political tinge. In previous elections, the candidates have been content to discuss matters of purely domestic con- inclined to believe that the car is cern. In the last few days, many speeches bearing upon the interna- kidnapping. ment have been made.

### Fifteen Candidates.

British and one Dane.

other in Hongkew Police Station, of motor-bandits, but their conthe latter being for Japanese only, nexion with the Lindbergh kid-Japanese and the two Americans -Renter's American Service.

will be elected, so that the selection will come from the other candidates .- Reuter.

### SALVATION ARMY **BAND** AT THE PALACE.

### ROYAL AUDIENCE.

### (Reuter's Special Service).

London, Mar. 20. The King and Queen to-day istened for an hour to the Salvation Army Regent Hall band, playing its jubilee in the forecourt of was formerly of the Durham Light Buckingham Palace.

her baby sister, Margaret, were 8. s. Carthage on the 12th instant, taken specially to the Palace to being apparently then in his hear the music and sat with Their usual good health. He passed Majesties in the Chinese Room on away yesterday, from the first floor, while thousands of failure. Londoners gathered at the Victoria Memorial and in Constitutional

William Booth, played several airs and Auditor in Gambia in 1926. at Their Majesties' request and He joined the Hongkong service

### described as merely a period pre-paratory to the second stage de-CROWDS.

### BETTER BEHAVED.

(Reuter's Special Service). / London, Mar. 20.

"One of the quietest Bont Race nights on record," was the verdict not yet ripe for its complete dis- of London police inspectors after closure, and, unfortunately, it was thousands of merry-makers celebrating the Oxford and Cambridge struggle and the Anglo-Scottish rugby international, departed from

Policemen guarded the statue of Eros until midnight, when the revellers were beginning to thin out. No untoward incident of any kind

occurred. The police express the opinion that people nowadays have grown more responsible. They atill cele-

### LINDBERGH MYSTERY

### POLITICAL TANG ABANDONED CAR FOUND.

### HOPEFUL CLUE.

New York, Mar. 20. Another dramatic discovery was made to-day which may throw some light upon the mystery of the kidnapping of Colonel Lindbergh's baby son.

It is now nearly three weeks since the child was stolen from his cot at the Lindbergh home at Hopewell and every effort to trace the perpetrators has, hitherto, ended in complete

To-day, an abundoned motorcar was discovered near Hopewell. New Jersey. It was buried in hay in a barn quite close to the Lindbergh home, and the police are the one used on the occasion of the

### Most Promising Clue.

"The most promising clue yet," is the verdict of Governor Moore The voters are required to select on the discovery, though it nine representatives from fifteen seems doubtful, after such candidates, which comprise two lapse of time, whather the motor-Japanese, two Americans, ten car will lead to the hide-out of the

criminals. Two polling stations have been catablished, one in the Municipal men into custody. They are be Administration building and the lieved to be connected with a gardy. It is almost certain that the two impping has not been established.

### TRAGIC DEATH OF CAPT. HOWARD.

### ON P. &. O. LINER BOUND FOR ENGLAND.

A wide circle of friends, including colleagues in the Government service, will learn with the deepest regret of the death at sea, whilst proceeding on Home leave, of Captain A. F. B. Howard, M.C., Assistant Auditor of the Hongkong Government.

The late Captain Howard, who Infantry, was only 89 years of Little Princess Elizabeth and age. He left by the P. and O.

Before coming East, Capt. Howard was in the Colonial Audit Department, London, became As-The band, which was founded by sistant Auditor in Nigeria in 1919. During his stay in the Colony, he made many friends, being of n most genial disposition, and the unexpected news of his death will come us a great shock to all who knew him.

### WONDER HORSE WINS AGAIN.

### PHARLAP'S RECORD

New York, Mar. 21. Ridden by the Australian lightweight jockey, W., Elliott, who came. specially from Australia to: Auguscallente, Mexico, Mr. D. J. Davis's Pharing, won the Aguacaliente Handicap, with the greatest of ease. Pharlap is the Australian wonder-horse, regarded as the best animal ever bred in Australia. He has won; his owner thousands of nounds, to-day's triumnh netting Mr. Davis a further G\$50,000.

brate, the time-honoured festivities | Pharlap set a track record. completing the distance of one and and damage done leading to dozens of Quarter miles in 2 minutes 2 4/6the

demanded in candidates for ad-

ministrative posts in the Colonial

Service do not now differ in any

of the Colonial Empire they may be

required to serve. In recruiting

men of the same type for the same

it can safely be neglected.

Strongest Grounds for Single

- Channel,

be, and at what stage the change

should be introduced. I found that

perlence and argument was in

favour of the selection system. For

various reasons, which I need not

daborate here, the adoption of the

examination system would have

been impracticable for the Colonial

Service as a whole, however satis-

factory it may have been in meet-

ing the relatively small require-

ments of the Cadet Services. More-

Colonial Office Conference of 1930,

which examined the question of the

unification of the Colonial Service,

explicitly deprecated the extension

of the examination system beyond

the areas in which it was then in

force. On the other hand, the

testimony of the Warren Fisher

Committee to the success of the

selection system and the fact that

as a result of that Committee's re-

port; the selection system has been

placed on a settled and permanent

basis,---and has been protected

against suspicion on the score of

such suspicion there were, by the institution of the Colonial Service

indopted, that method should be the

While the obvious advantage of

this system lies in its peculiar

enables a close assessment to be

marked difference between post-

partiality or unfairness, if

selection system.

over, the Committee of

the overwhelming weight of ex-

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### CADET SERVICE.

COLONIAL OFFICE DESPATCH TO GOVERNOR.

The despatch to the Governor from the Secretary of State for the Colonies (Sir, P. Cunliffe-Lister) in regard to the changed system of recruitment for Hongkong Civil Service, sent from Downing Street on Feb. 11, forwarded by the Colonial Secretary for publication.

The despatch is as follows: Sir,-I have the honour to inform you that, after very careful consideration, I have decided assimilate the system of recruitment for the Cadet Services Malaya and Hongkong to that in force for the Colonial Service generally. An announcement this effect, of which I enclose copy, appeared in the Press on

January 26th. As a consequence of this decision, which was taken after conaultation with the Civil Service Commission and the Colonial Service Appointments Board, and with the concurrence of both bodies, candidates for the Cadet Services In the above mentioned Colonie will in future be selected on recommendation of the Colonial Service Appointments Board, instend of, as hitherto, according to the results of the competitive examination held by the Civil Ser-vice Commission for the Home and Indian Civil Services. The posttion of Caylon is special and will be separately considered in consultation with the Governor. the meantime the postponement of a decision in regard to that Island will have no immediate practical effect since the recruitment Europeans for the Civil Service is

at present suspended. I realise that there may be some who will regret this decision as marking a break with a long and honourable tradition. I sympathise with that regret, and I would hasten to assure you that my decision was not based on any failure to appreciate the valuable services which have been rendered in the past, and are being readered day, by men who have entered the Cadet Services through the competitive examination. Many them, I am aware, have achieved distinction not only in the Eastern Colonies but in other parts of the Colonial Empire, to whose general development members of the Cadet Services have materially contribut-

Great Changes in the Empire.

At the same time it is essential adaptability for securing men to take account of the great endowed with those necessary changes which are so rapidly qualities of character and temtaking place in the Colonial Empire | perament which are not readily as a whole. It is necessary also to amenable to the test of a written remember that the whole problem [examination, it should not be sup-1 recruitment at home has of re-I nosed that the introduction of the cent years been considerably modi- system need involve any departure fied, on the one hand by economic from the high standards of inforces arising out of the war, and [tellectual ability and academic disfresh alternative careers now open | characteristic of the services | reto the class of man which the cruited in past years by the com-Colonial Service desires to attract. Detitive examination. Under the In deciding to discontinue the com- selection system a judicious petitive examination, I have been scrutiny of the academic records looking not at the past but to the and attainments of the candidate

At a time when the Colonial Em- made of his intellectual qualificapire consisted of scattered units, tions; and the educational records separated from each other and of recent applications show that from this country by distances the Services already recruited which the modern methods of com- the selection system are now atmunication had not yet bridged, tracting young men of real ability and when the administration of who, from this point of view apart many of these units was still in from any other, are fully able to the pioneering stage, it was not stand comparison with those unnatural that recruitment for obtainable through the examinathe older Administrations of tion. With the added prestige Ceylon, Malaya and Hongkong which the Colonial Service will should be linked to that of the gain from presenting a single ap-Home and, especially, the Indian peal to candidates, I am confident Civil Services with which they had that there is every expectation that most in common. As a natural the standard already reached will corollary to the rapid development be maintained and even raised. of the Colonial Empire as a whole On the other hand, the pressure in recent years, corresponding of financial considerations tends changes and developments have nowadays greatly to enhance the taken place in the importance, attractiveness of any profession character, and requirements of the or service which offers a career as general Colonial Service. In consequence the Services of the sion of a University course and Eastern Colonies have now to be which does not impose any additional delay and service, and their affinity have examination, involving delay with it, rather than with the In- and, in some cases, additional exdian and Home Services, is daily pense. In this respect there is a Whatever may have been the war and pre-war conditions. In

case in the past, the qualifications view of this and of the remarkable

SINGAPORE BASE.

essential feature in whatever part QUESTION TO BE DISCUSSED AT OTTAWA.

London, Mar. 20. ket, it is clear that the best in- the Singapore base will be discusterests of all the Administrations sed at the forthcoming Ottawa concerned lie in presenting a single Conference, says the Sunday Disunited appeal to the type of can- patch.

didate they wish to attract. The The Admiral's naval staff has with no co-ordinated method of ing discussion at Ottawa.

recruitment; and the Colonial Em- The Dominions may be asked to pire as a whole has become of such make a further contribution toimportance, that no step which will wards the cost of the extra work enhance the prestige and efficiency can the base .- Reuter.

of the Service which administers There were therefore the strongest grounds for adopting a University curriculum, there are single channel of appointment to strong grounds for supposing that, posts of the same type in the Colonial Empire. It remained to tain the examination, they would, consider what this channel should as time went on, find their field of the rest of the Service.

under the conditions to-day, the adaption of a common method of entry for the whole service is likely to prove generally advantageous, not only to the Colonial Service as a whole, but to each of its component elements. It is further clear that the two main arguments used in the past for the retention of the competitive examination, .e., (i) that the selection system was difficult to defend against charges of partiality and (2) that it did not produce a sufficiently high standard of intellectual ability, can no longer be substantiated. On the other hand the selection system has been proved to possess distinct advantages' both in widening the field of choice and in enabling weight to be given more easily to qualifications which are of great importance in the candidntes to be selected. The results of the change can, of course, only be judged from experience, but feel that there is every reason to look upon the future with con-Appointments Board-led almost inevitably to the conclusion that, if

a single method of entry were was to be made, there were convincing arguments for making it immediately. In the ordinary way d elsion but it was brought to my carried out under peculiarly favourable conditions, and that the Initial difficulties which must into a minimum. On the other hand, should the change be postponed, it was quite possible that an excep-tionally favourable opportunity for establishing the position of the Colonial Service as a first class career might have been missed. I did not feel justified in taking so serious a risk and accordingly felt it necessary to treat the matter as one of urgency and to announce the change in time for it to be introduced in connexion with selection of candidates in 1932.



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prestige of a Colonial Service, been asked to draw up plans o entered by one uniform channel and presenting opportunities world wide in their scope, must eventually be far greater than that of a Ministers leave for Ottawa, but no number of relatively small Services definite action will be taken pend-

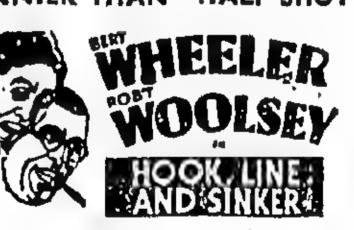
increase in the prestige and popularity of the main Colonial Service, which does not imposeany academic test apart from those provided by the 'ordinary were the Eastern Colonies to rechoice seriously restricted as compared with that at the disposal of

It will be seen therefore that

Reasons for Urgency. Assuming then that the change I should have wished to give as long notice as possible of such a notice that the temporary reduction of other openings for young men, owing to the existing financial depression, would enable the selection of candidates for the Colonial Service in 1932 to be evitably attend any radical change of system would thus be reduced

As this despatch will, no doubt, be of interest to officials and to members of the public in the territories immediately affected by the decision, I have to request that it may be published locally in such a manner as may commend itself to you.

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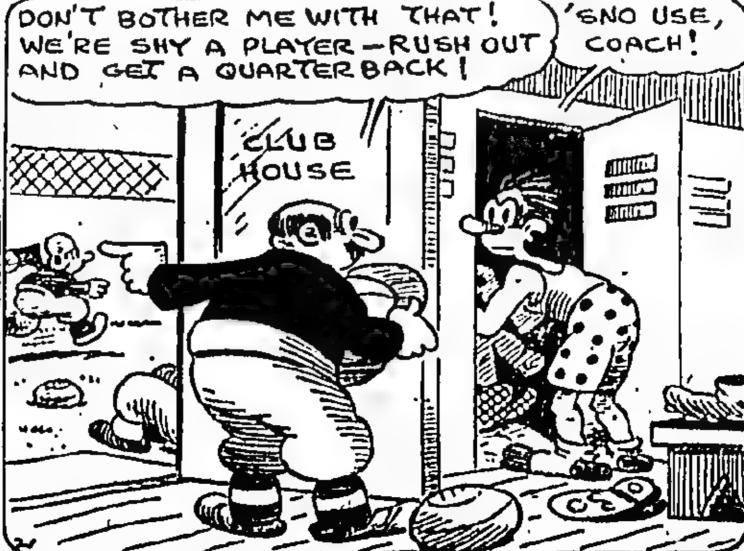


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another blonds competitor at the international beauty contest in Payle will be "Miss Germany" (Fraulein Ruth Behnen of Karleruhe).



flashing brunette from sunny Spain, Senoria Gloria Guaman.



Olga Djuritch, whose wavy brown locks must have influenced the judges who chose her as "Miss Jugoslavia."



Miss Slavojka Princip, another Jugolslavian girl. She le a niece of Garrilo Princip, who assissinated the Archduke Fare dipand in 1914.



Japanese war planes seeming overhead ... the lurking peril of swift, terrible death from the skies ... during the battle which proceded the recent Chinese retreat.



Look what a Cologne photographer anapped the other day on

"Alice in Wonderland" ... is shown above as she appeared in the familiar sketches by John Tenniel, famous illustrator ..., and in the centre as she (now Mrs. Reginald Hargreaves) looks today with her granddaughter, Mary Jean Alice ... Low er left is a view of the Beeches, "Alice's" home in Westerham, Kent ... and at right is Westerham's monument to its greatest son, Major Gen. James

CHAPTER XXXV

Mr. G. O. Carmtchael, president and sole owner of the Home-Maid way to school, I suppose?" Bakery Products Company (Carmichael's Big Cream Loaf, Carmichael's Cookles for Kiddies, Carmichnel's Cakes for Choice Occasions), stood on his front porch and frowned across his wellmown lawn over to his bugless pink roses and sighed worriedly.

Grey haired, healthy, clean shaven, excellently inilored, in appearance he resembled a bankeror thought that he did. His ambition for 25 years since he bought his first small shop and stopped doing baking for the other fellow, had been to look like a banker That, then, must have been so much to the good on this early Monday morning. Also, conscience clear, he Frances. had slept well, had arisen, breakfasted satisfactorily, kissed his wife whom he loved devotedly, and had gone now-as far as the porch, at least—to a business that was thriving robustly at a time when not like it." many businesses were failing.

Neither surfaces nor depths Mary-Frances comforted, seemed to provide reason for Mr. Carmichael's depression. Peace "I'm not so sure of that, young writing, and if the family should library downstairs. It was filled should have been dropping slow. I'm not so sure of that. Here see it before I do they would think with pressed, powdery four-leaf But, had someone come inquiring is a peculiar thing. The girl is I was getting a note from Ermin- clovers, which were a nuisance. In as to the absence of the nine bean your size and build. In fact, if I trude. Dearest, I love you too much, the front of it was a bookplate, unrows and the hive for the honeybee, didn't know what a sensible little too much. I cannot write it. decorated, which read, "This Book he would have been told that Mr. lady you were, I'd be positive that I am your most unhappy and Is the Property of A. N. Monks. GRAHAM SETONS
Carmichael had a disagreeable duty she was you. But I know you too laving Carmichael had a disagreeable duty she was you. But I know you too loving, to perform. Duties were Mr. Car- well to think that you'd be spark- It is difficult to know what to do Without Fail." In the back of it, michael's fetishes. Kindly, well ing out in the yard, night after with quotation marks in Mary-rubber stamped, were the purple meaning, carnestly mistaken about night, when you should be in the Frances' letter. It is so mixed up, words, "This Book is the propmany things, Mr. Carmichael did house study in a your algebra. That's Perhaps the sections that she crty of the Cozy Nook Circulating not need to see his duty to do it. the way I know this girl isn't you. cribbed can be detected without Library, Wendling, Utah." Another He scented duties from afar and You understand, I'm sure she isn't, pointing at them. The child had a of those black-sheep volumes that made them his own with a whist or In fact. I'm so sure of it that, un-certain genius for getting hold of are fated to stroy and get lost on two heard them whispering in less I—see the couple there again, books she would have done just as the most moral, dignisted, and lawthe wind and caught them on the I've decided not to mention it to well or better without. Her plan abiding books olves. Poor little wing. No duty, no matter to whom your grandfather at all. Of course, for acquiring them had, as has thing, it all granned its tragedy as it belonged, was safe anywhere if I should ever see them there much of genius, its roots, at least, Mary-Frances shoved it back into near Mr. Carmichael,

. ing down the walk on her way to be bound to inform your grand- had the word "love" in their title, school. Mr. Carmichael, affecting father, and no if's nor and's about excluding only those that seemed waiting during the long process a strolling galt, met her by the pink it."

roses in his parking.

morning, Mr. Car-

"Nice morning isn't it? On your "Yes, Mr. Carmichael."

"School soon out now, isn't it? "Yes, sir. We're having our finals this week. It is algebra today. um dreadfully worried about it It's so hard."

"Speaking of worries," said Mr. Carmichael, "I've been quite a bit worrled myself, here of late. Very queer thing. For some time now I've noticed a young couple over in your yard-right near I wonder if your grandfather would on in his yard?"

"I don't much think he'd care."

ngain, even once more-and I feel it in simplicity. She hunted hard, Its place. Mary-Frances Fenwick was com- is my duty to watch out-then I'll and high and low, for books that

"Good morning, my dear," he the roses colour. She said, "I'll have the easy, anthological wave, and let's go. Let's don't waste the to hurry now, I guess. I always go she frequently confessed that, whole afternoon."

by for my friend, Ermintrade Hill, Goodbye, Mr. Carmichael," and walked awny so fast that she heard Mr. Carmichael say, "A word to the wise," only once, though he said. it three times before he said, "Well, that's off my mind," and smiled his satisfaction, and went to take his car from the garage.

It was a pity, a great pity, But for Mr. Carmichael and his duty. there is a clim chance, at least, that i Mary-Frances might not have flunked flat in her algebra examination; and there is a stout certainty that she neved would have written to Earl DeArmount: Dear Prince Wonderful:

. All has been discovered. We dare never meet again. Whatever you do, don't come to see me tonight: of me, the rest of me that you are! me?") was richly fertile with ready "Love making, I have no doubt. So, thinking of you, I can never be referrence material for Mary-Innocent love making," modestly tired. I rest yours. I will give Frances. indisted Mr. Carmichnel, "but- this letter to my friend to take to night after night. No. I am ver- you, and if you will answer in the Letters, however, had not been tain that your grandfather would inclosed, addressed, stamped en-found in Rosalie's room. Their velope I should get it before I go thin volume had been squeezed to school in the morning. Answer crooked between West Coast Shells at once, and be sure to use the en- and An Epitome of Modern Eurovelope, because it is Ermintrude's pean Literature (1883), in, the

to deal with religion or nature of the latter's construction, said, Mary Frances' cheeks dimmed study. Rosalio's mind liked going "Well, if you're through at last.

the rear and of an esh-cart! mean it really. This, dearest, is though aware of her folly, she our first enforced absence from each could read better with a pencil in corner. They meet there frequently, other. Beloved, let us put our her fingers; so the small bamboo hearts together and get comfort. It stand behind her door ("My own like to have that sort of thing going is not a true separation to know intimate collection-my dearest. that another part of the world con- friends. One should have them "What sort of thing?" said Mary- tains the rest of me. Oh, the rest close at hand; don't you agree with

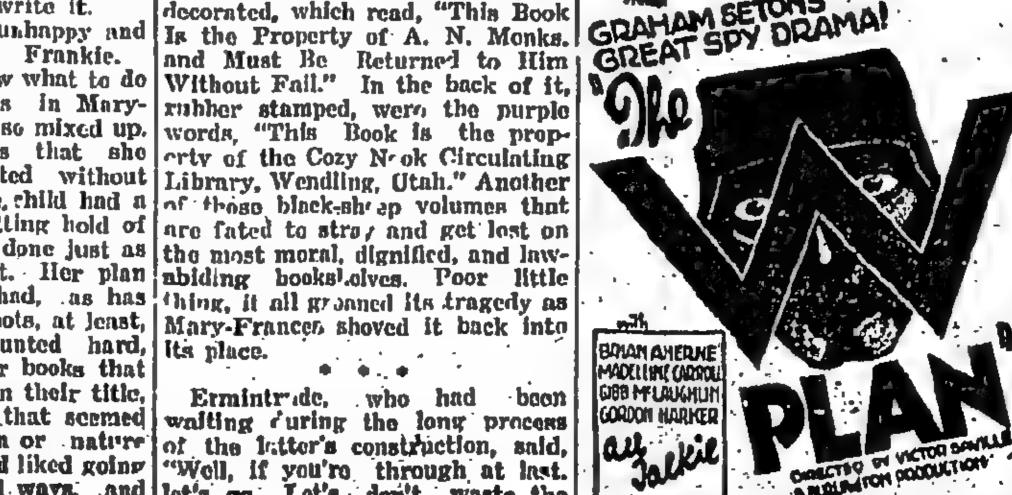
The Englishwoman's

"Waste!" sighed Mary-Frances. "Waste!" reproached Mary-Frances and followed Ermintrude out of the sour, dark old library into the warm, fragrant bouquet of

On the front porch Ermintrude paused to say again—she had sald it several times before-"I just don't see any sense in it." Mary-Frances crooked her arm around Ermintrude's plump waist.

"Come on, darling. I'll walk as far as the fire house with you." "No, but what I mean," explained Ermintrude, as she allowed herself (Continued on Page 10.)

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### CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

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The Steamship,

"SI-KIANG" Arrived Hongkong on Sunday, the 20th March, 1932,

From DUNKIRK, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, LONDON &c vin SAIGON.

Consignces of Cargo by the above named are hereby informed that their goods with the exception Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and placed at their risk in the Godowns of the Hongkong Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd. Kowloon, whence delivery can be obtained as the goods are landed .--Goods not cleared within 7 days

including date of arrival, will be subject to rent. All claims must be sent to the undersigned before the Wednesday, the 30th March, 1932, or they will not

bo recognized.— Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the consignees, and the Company's Surveyor Messrs:-Goddard and Douglas at 10.00 a.m. on Saturday, the 26th March, 1932. Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined by the Com-

pany's Surveyors. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns. No Fire Insurance will effected b us in any case whatever.

R. OHL, Hongkong, 20th March, 1932.



### NEW ADVERTISEMENT

THE MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

PROGRAMMES and ENTRY FORMS for the Second Extra Race obtained at the Sports Club, Hongkong Jockey Club Stables, or at the offices of Messra. Percy Smith Seth and Fleming, 6, Des - Voeux Road, Central.

ENTRIES close at 5 p.m. on Thursday, the 24th March, 1932. UNION WATERBOAT CO. LTD. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The Twenty Seventh Annual MRS. X. VOLGIN Dresemaker late General Meeting of Shareholders will be held in the Offices moderate terms, ready made dresses Messrs. Dodwell & Company., Limited., on Wednesday, the 30th March, 1932, at 3 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December 1931. The trasfer Books FOR BALE -- ARMSTRONG, SID- of the Company will be closed March 1932, both dates inclusive.

> DODWELL & COMPANY LTD. General Managers.

> > NOTICE,

### S.S. "CITY OF PITTSBURG"

Arrived 29th August, 1931. New York/Hongkong B/L. No. 1 Three cases said to contain Electric Machinery marked R. W & Co. Hong Kong 3/5 are lying at Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company.

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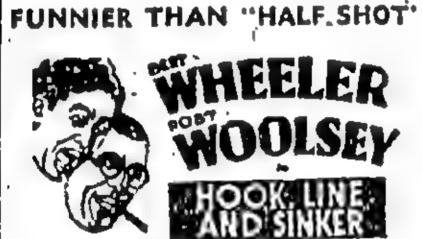
THE BANK LINE, LTD. Agents: Ellerman & Bucknall

Steamship Co., Ltd Hongkong, 17th March, 1932.

NOTICE.

The C.E.R.A's. 4th Submarine Flotilla are holding a dance at Lane Restaurnat, Exchange Crawford's

Building. On THURSDAY. March 24th, From 8 till 1 a.m. . . . . \$2.00 GENTS LADIES BY COURTESY.



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### SOCIETY OF ST. GEORGE

HONG KONG.

Notice is hereby given that a Special General Meeting of the Meeting to be held in Macao on Society of St. George, Hongkong, days. Sunday, the 3rd April, 1932, may be will be held on Wednesday, the 30th day of March, 1932, immediately after the termination of the Annual General Meeting when the following Resolution will be

> proposed. That the Rules of the Society be amended as follows:-By adding the following paragraph, to the end of Rule 8:-The Committee shall have power to waive the payment of an entrance fee in the case of members of His Majesty's Forces and Civil Servants attached thereto who wish to join this Society.

By Order of the Committee. LINSTEAD & DAVIS. Secretaries & Treasurers Hongkong, 21st March, 1932.

SOCIETY OF ST. GEORGE, HONG KONG.

The Annual General Meeting of from the 23rd March to 30th the Society will be held in the Board Room of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on Wednesday, 30th March, 1932, at 5.30 p.m.

For the following purposes:---(a) To receive the Report of the Committee and Statement of Accounts for the past

(b) To elect the Officers and Committee for the ensuing year.

(c) To consider the manner in which St. George's Day shall be celebrated. (d) To transact any other

notice has been given. All Members are requested

LINSTEAD & DAVIS. Secretaries & Treasurers. Hongkong, 21st March, 1932.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the General Managers have (with the sanction of the Consulting Committee of this Company obtained at a Meeting of such Committee held here on the 14th day of March 1932), made a Call of \$50 per share in respect of the monics unpaid on the shares held by the Shareholders and that such Call should be paid on Wednesday, the 30th day of March, 1932, to the General Managers at the Offices of the

Company. That the General Managers have (with the like sanction of the Consulting Committee) determined to employ the sum of \$400,-000 part of the Reserve Fund of the Company in paying a Special Dividend of \$50 per share on the shares of the Company held by the Shareholders and that such Special Dividend, shall be payable on the 30th day of March, 1932.

Warrants for the Special Dividend can be obtained on application to the General Managers at the Offices of the Company.

Should any Shareholder fail to pay the amount of the said Call on the 30th day of March, 1932, the General Managers will on the 31st day of March, 1932, apply the amount of the above mentioned Special Dividend due to him in payment and satisfaction of the

said Call. After payment or satisfaction of the said Call in the manner above indicated a Memorandum showing the extent to which the shares are then paid up will be endorsed on all Certificates Shares presented to the General Managers at the Offices of the

Company. The Transfer Books and Register of Members of the Company will be closed from the 16th day of March 1932, to the '30th day of March, 1932, both days inclusive. Dated this 15th day of March.

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The SECOND EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley. Saturday, 26th Morch, and Monday, 28th Morch, 1932, mencing at 12.30 p.m. on

The first-bell will be rung at 12 o'clock noon.

There will be an interval for Tiffin after the 2nd Race on both

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed. No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclo-

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentle- that the ORDINARY YEARLY men and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both | MEETING of Shareholders will be including Tax) are obtainable held in the Office of the Company, through the SECRETARY upon 2 Queen's Building, Hongkong, on Introduction by a Member, such THURSDAY, 31st MARCH 1932, at Member to be responsible for II n.m. for consideration of the Payment of All Chits, &c.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at December, 1931. the Race Course.

ing the Meeting.

Tiflins are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21920...

### PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform

business of which due are admitted Half Price. Bookmakers, Tie Tac Men, &c., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

Tiffins will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public En-

By Order.

C. B. BROWN, Secretary.

Hongkong, 21st March, 1932. THE HONGKONG ROPE MANU-

FACTURING CO., LTD. Notice is hereby given that the Forty-eighth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholdera in the above Company will be held at St. George's Building, Chater Road, Victoria, Hongkong, on Wednesday, the 30th March, 1932, at 11.30 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Meeting of the Members of the

the ordinary husiness of the Com-The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED Saturday, 19th Morch, 1932, unti Wednesday, 30th March, 1932, both days inclusive.

Directors for the year ended 31st

December 1931, and to transact

By order of the Board of Directors, SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 4th March, 1932.

CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN & MORTGAGE CO., LTD.

the THIRTY-FIFTH ORDINARY Ltd., will be held at 12 o'clock ANNUAL MEETING of Share- noon on Wednesday, the 13th day holders in the Company will be of April 1932, for the purpose of held in the Company's Board receiving a report of the proceed-Room, 3rd Floor, Exchange Build- ings at the above-mentioned ing. Hong Kong, on Thursday, Meeting and of confirming, it 24th March, 1932, at NOON, for the | thought fit, as a Special Resolution purpose of receiving a Statement the abovementioned Resolution. of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the yea. ended | 1932. 31st December, 1931, electing Directors and Auditors, and for the transaction of any other Ordinary business of the Com-

NOTICE is also hereby given that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from Monday, 14th March, 1932, until The Motorabio. Thursday, 24th March, 1932, both days inclusive, during which period no transfers of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board, D. L. KING, Secretary.

Hongkong, 5th March, 1982. HONGKONG AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION.

The Annual General Meeting of the members will be held in the Board Room of Mesars Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ltd. on Tuesday, the 29th of March, 1932, at 5.30

> By order B. D. EVANS, Hon. Becretary.

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> LINSTEAD & DAVIS. Secretaries & Treasurers.

THE HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st

The Share Register and Tran-On No Pretext will Children be sfer Books will be closed from the permitted in either Enclosure dur- | 24th to the 31st March, 1932, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors R. M. DYER, Chief Manager.

CHINA ENTERTAINMENT & LAND INVESTMENT CO., LTD.

Hongkong, 17th March, 1932.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHARE-HOLDERS will be 'held at the Registered Offices of the Company, King's Theatre Building, 5th Floor, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of March, 1932, at 12 Noon to receive the Directors' Report and Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1931, to elect Auditors, and to transact such other business as may be properly transacted at an Ordinary General Meeting

of the Company. And Notice is further hereby Amoy and given that the Register and Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 14th to the 23rd day of March, 1932, both days inclusive.

LIANG CHI HAO, Managing Director. Hongkong, 2nd March, 1932.

CHINA ENTERTAINMENT & LAND INVESTMENT CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Canada, Accounts and the Report' of the China Entertainment & Land Investment Co., Ltd., will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, King's Theatre Building. 5th Floor, at 12.15 p.m. on Wednesday, the 23rd day of March 1932, for the purpose of considering. and if thought fit, passing the

following Resolution:-That there shall be added to Article 71 of the Articles Association of the Company the

words:-"but the Chairman shall receive double remuneration." AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that a further Extraordinary General 'Meeting of the Members of the China Enter-NOTICE is heroby given that thinment & Land Investment Co., Dated this second day of March

> LIANG CHI HAO, Managing Director.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES N. Y. K. LINE (NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA)

From EUROPE and STRAITS "TOYOOKA MARU,"

having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Goods not cleared by the 28th inst. will be subject to rent.

Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consigueo's and the Co.'s representatives on any Tuesdays and Fridays, at 2.80 p.m. within the free storage period. For the examination of damaged dutiable goods, the consignees must arrange for a Revenue Officer to be present. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival

recognized. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns. No fire insurance has been effected. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Hongkong, 21st March, 1982.

here, after which date they cannot be

Notice is hereby given that the Forty-third Ordinary Yearly Meeting will be held at the Company's Offices, P. and O. Building, on Wednesday, 23rd March, 1932 at 11 s.m. for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors together with a statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1931 and electing Directors and Audi-

The Register of Members of the Company will be closed from 10th March 1932 to 23rd March 1932, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., LTD Agents. Hongkong, 17th February, 1932.

THE HONGRONG FIRE INSURANCE CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Sixty-third - Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on Wednesday, the 30th March, 1932, at Noon, for the Shareholders will be held at the purpose of receiving the Report of Offices of the Company, Exchange the General Managers, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December,

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to the 30th Morch, 1932, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LIMITED.

General Managers, The Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Ltd. Hongkong, 9th March, 1932.

East and South Africa, Egypt

THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

AUCTIONS PUBLIC AUCTION. The Undersigned have received nstructions to soll by Public on THURSDAY. the 24th March, 1932,

commoncing at 10.30 a.m. at Mr. T. F. Claxton's Residence. Silverware, Curios, Royal

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COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE is heroby given that the 43rd Ordinary Annual Meeting of Building, Des Voeux Road Central. Victoria, Hongkong, on Thursday. the 31st day of March, 1932, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for , the

year ended 81st December, 1931. The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Saturday. 12th March, 1932, to Thursday, 31st March, 1932, both days inclusive. By order of the Board of Directors.

Hongkong, 1st March, 1932.

ALLAN KEITH, Secretary. -

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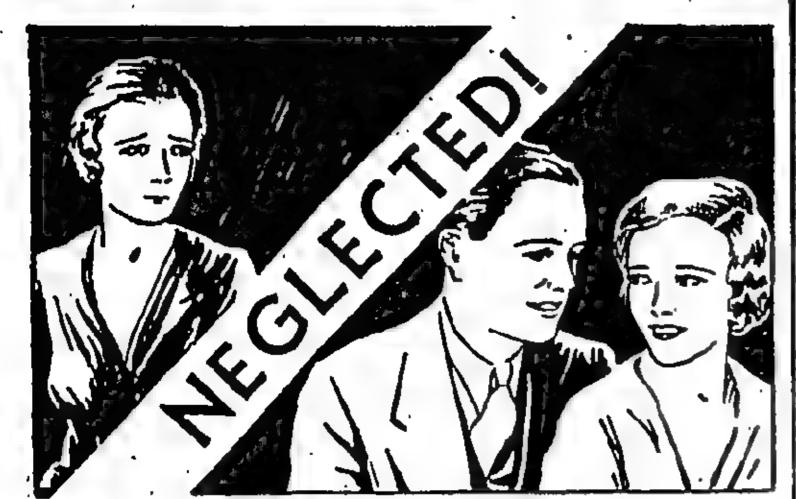
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must be fulled out. Those who think of the future rafeguard their health and happiness by protecting their teeth and gums when they are healthy. They use Forhan's for the County, the one dentilrice made to prevent this insidious disease, pyorthea.

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#### EXCELLENT SPORT YESTERDAY:

There was some excellent sport at Kwanti yesterday, when the Fanling Race and Hunt Club Easter Meeting was held. The main event, the Grand National. was won by Christmas Frolic, well

ridden by Mr. Stanton, Results: 1.-The Auteuil Steeplechase .- 1 1/4 Miles for China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club. Messrs. Dyer & Boith's Loch Ryan

(Mr. Stanton) Mr. P. C. Potts' Herga (163 lbs.) (Mr. Charles) Mr. R. H. Charles Mouche (168 (Mr. Corbett)

Won by a head; many lengths. Pari-mutuel: Win \$3.20; Places \$2,29; \$2.54. 2,-The Longchamps Plate.-A

Burdle race of 1% miles for China Mr. Tally Ho's Daylight Eve (168) (Mr. Corbett) Mr. W. T. Stanton's Target (168

(Mr. Stanton) 2 Mr. F. Lobel's African Eve (161) (Mr. Charles) 3 [ Won by 1% lengths; many lengths, maintained their lead, but it was

\$2,14; 2,19; \$2,42. 3,-The Fanling Grand National and Pierce Grove Memorial Cup.-A Handienp Steeplechase of, 2% miles.

Mr. W. T. Stanton's Christmas Frobe (160 lbs.) (Mr. Stanton) the world in the treatment of pyorthes. Mr. J. H. Charsley's Duke of Million (148 Jbs.) (Mr. Char-ley) Mr. Heard's Royal Flush (168)

Hall (Mr. Corbett) Won by half length; 2 lengths Pari-mutuel: Win - \$3,22; Places

\$2.54: \$4.74. 1. The New South Wafes Plate .-A ! templechase of 12 miles for Austraban pome-

Mr. W. T. Stanton's Fritz (162) (Mr. Stanton) Mr. W. H. Packin', Re. Scop (169) Calr Parcard Mr. C. G. Mackeda St. Mortz (162) athor, Calman)

Won by many lengths; many Para matuel: Win \$2.17; Places | lengths at Duke's Mendows.

1 \$2.08; \$1.08. 5,-The Hunan Stakes, A Flat Race of Six Furlongs for China Pontes. Subscription Griffins of The ridden by Jockeys who have not won 10 races anywhere of any time. Mr. H. P. Rees' Sunning 152 lbs.

(Mr. Rees) Mr. H. P. Rees' Glorious Stag 152 (Mr. Chanson) Mr. Ben's Celerity 152 lbs. (Mr. Carroll)

Won by % length; half length. Pari-mutuel; Win \$4.53; Places \$2,64; \$4,53; \$4,73.

6 .- The Ladies' Mile (Unofficial) .--A Flat Race for China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of the Hongkong Jockey Club of this Senson that have started and not been placed. To be sat up holdly. ridden by Ladies,

Mrs. S. A. Lopes' The Crook 145 (Miss Fearon) Rangaroo's Kanpaz 145 lbs. (Mrs. Soares) Mrs. C. A. da Roza's Trigo 145 lbs.

Won by one length; many lengths.

\$2,14; \$2,36; \$2,13. 7.—The Governor's Cup (Unofficial). Over approximately 2 miles of fair mins, 15 sees. Oxford 11 mins. bunting country starting and finish- secs. ing on the Race Course. For China Ponies approved by the Master as min. 40 secs. Oxford 15 mins. 55 "HUNTERS," Winner A CUP presented by His Excellency the Gov-

14, Col. G. T. Raikes' Winchester Stng 168 lbs. (Mr. liepe) Miss Scott Harston's Country Club (Mr. Frost) 168 lbs. Mr. J. H. Charsley's Fanling Stag (Mr. Charsley) Won by 2 lengths; many lengths. Parl-mutuel: Win \$46.02; Places \$8.14; \$2.77; \$5.70.

THE CASH SWEEPS.

\$134.10 Unplaced ponies (\$25 each): Nos. Race 2. \$533.97 \$ 76.29 Unplaced ponies (\$25 each): Nos. 288, 470, 225, 105, 463, 308, 312. Race 3. \$716.66 \$204.76 **\$**102.38

### CANTABS AGAIN.

WIN BOAT RACE BY FOUR LENGTHS.

Putney, Mar. 19. The sky to-day favoured the Camoridge crow, being cloudless and of the palest blue at its zenith. The water was glassy and the smoke from the chimneys stood up very straight, there being no wind.

The crowds started collecting in the early hours of the morning and many indulged in riverside breakfasts, cocking eggs and becon over oil-stoves.

Though Cambridge were 5 to 1

favourites, the Oxford crew was said to be best for years. Cambridge won the toss and chose 3 the Surrey side, the race starting at

10.28 a.m.

Oxford started off at 35 and Cambridge at 34, with Cambridge slightly shead at the boathouse. The crows were level at Beverly Brook, but Oxford drew ahead and were a quarter length in the lend at the Fulham Football ground.

#### Enrly Lead Unavailing.

At Craven Steps Oxford still at Harrods Wharf.

holding the same advantage. Cambridge rowing at 32 and Oxford at 34. It was apparent that Oxford's early 2 | efforts had thred them.

Osford's 28.

The Osterd grow's determination: remained hawayered and when Chiswell. Egot was reached they had redured the lead to two lengths. At Traders will claim him as an 23 The holder of a post, . thiswick Stem Cambridge were two apostle of their political economy, 27 Has confidence regarding ter-2 | lengths ahead, and keeping a steady citing these words:-"At market, and powerful stroke refused to yield if stalls are taxed but not goods, 29 Twice shy. 3 to Oxford's challenge, Instead, they every trader below heaven is 30 See Bess about us in this matter, rendually increased their lead in a

### Oxford's Plucky Struggle.

two and three-quarters lengths in roads." Hongkong Jockey Club of this season front, with Oxford struggling very reader's outlook may be, he will and ponies classified by the Hongkong pluckily, but only just able to hold find many pearls of wisdom in Joekey Club on 31st December, 1931, their own, as with plenty of reserve, these pages, and rejoice that the in "D1" and "D2" classes. To be Cambridge releatlessly crowded on the pace and led by three and a half lengths at Bull's head.

Bornes Bridge found the Cantaba still maintaining their advantage. both crews stroking 32. At Mortlake Hrewery Cambridge were four lengths in the van, and won comforta lably by the same distance.

As the boats were sighted rounding the bend from Barnes Bridge, Cambridge, rowing with wonderful case, appeared to be only just paddling. while. Oxford were almost out-rowed, i the best of the latest batch i finish, except numbers 5 and 7, who

### Course Times.

Cambridge completed the course in 19 minutes 11 seconds and the inter-I mediate times were as follows: Mile Post,-3 mins. 21 secs. Ox-(Miss Harston) 3 ford leading 1/2 length.

Pari-mutuel: Win \$5.50; Places 45 sees. Cambridge leading by 1 Chiswick Steps.—Cambridge

Barnes Bridge.—Cambridge

Finish,-Cambridge 19 mins, 11 secs. Oxford 19 mins, 29 secs .- page.

Reuter, Race 4. \$1,469.92 \$ 419.98 \$ 209.99

Unplaced ponies (\$77.77 each): Nos. 15, 571, 377. Race 5. Unplaced ponies (\$25 508, 732, 279. Race 6. No. 419 \$718.53 \$205.30 Unplaced ponies (\$25 each): Nos. 1564, 480, 81, 61, 87. Race 7. No. 414 \$177.38 \$ 88.69

Unplaced ponies (\$25 each): Nos.

462, 210, 887, 842, 590, 348, 115, 317,

Unplaced ponies (\$25 each): No. 243, 737, 82, 704, 467, 803, 11, 221,

### A Good Thriller.

### BOOKSHELF

#### NEW TRANSLATION OF MENCIUR

Students of Chinese philosophy will wecome a new translation of Mencius from the pen of Leonard A. Lyall, whose previous works. "The Sayings of Confucius" and "The Chung-Yung," the Intter in conjunction with King Chien-kun, have received such favourable notice. The latest work is published by Longmans, Green and Co., Ltd., London (12s. 6d. net).

Of the ancient Chinese

philosophers, Mencius is probably the most interesting, since he wrote on questions which still confront the world to-day. He called for peace and friendship among nations; taught that lands are won by good government, not by war, and that government is founded on the home, on teaching every man to do his duty. The translator, in this instance, has put Mencius' sayings into plain. straightforward English, endeavouring as far as possible to make his translation a word-for-Part-mutuel: Wm \$2.66; Places noticeable that Cambridge were set- word rendering of the Chinese. tling down and stendily pulled up on The work is extremely well astheir rivals. They overhauled Oxford sembled into fourteen Books, conand led by three-quarters of a length | veniently split into chapters, whilst its value is enhanced by an The crew shot Hammersmith Bridge | Index of subjects and another of

> In these days, many of Mencius' sayings are well worth recalling. Combridge increased their lend to reflecting a simplicity and sinone and half lengths at The Dove, and cerity of outlook which are most steadily drew away and were leading refreshing, as well as a logical 12 Give this sign nine and it will by two and a quarter lengths at the approach to fundamentals of "Mall" the Cantala stroking 30 to which the troubled world to-day 13 Bowed. stands so much in need. All 14 A state of anxiety in which manner of subjects are covered in i his obiter dieta; maybe seven Free glad, and wishes to stall in that | 31 "Look, the good man weeps! teady final effort, and led by 214 market. At barriers, if men are questioned but there are no tolls. every stranger below beaven is At the three miles post they were glad, and wishes to travel those But whatever translator has made them available to us all. An altogether excellent translation.

### Light Fiction.

Measrs. Ward, Lock and Co., Ltd., the well-known London publishers, are again to the fore with an amazing variety of light fiction by approved authors, in the Colonial Library series. One of and appeared distressed before the undoubtedly Charman Edwards' "The Yellow Wagon," which is the story of a beautiful woman born amid the hardships of the travelling theatre but destined to become of a girl who went through the a great actress. An altogether splendid study, marked by fine

l characterisation. General, a national hero, who, for reasons disclosed in the story. disliked any reference to the deed that made him famous. Interest is maintained to the very last

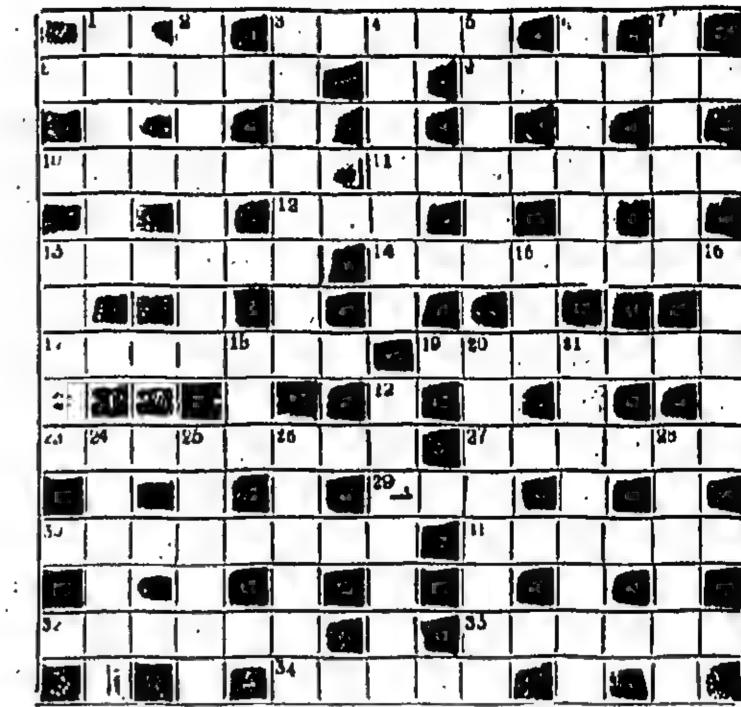
In "Caleb's Conquest," we have one of Joseph Hocking's 'typical setting. The author knows his Cornwall as only a Cornishman can, and in this story of the experiences of the son of a small farmer who ran away from home, he shows that he has lost none of his old power to grip the in-

terest of the reader. counted on for a really good story, and he has done good work in "A better-conceived ter of a newspaper magnate to miss. win the man she loves, a young extremely well-written novel.

Surprise !!

Those who like a good thriller house, where strange happenings hould read "Princess Proxy," by eccur. Excellent fiction through-

### OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS.



A note in bed enables you to entch this strain.

8 Though nothing like a gale, this wind is a bother. 9 A poor sort of support enables us thus to be one mind. 10 The five Spartag magistrates

whom the Kings could not 11 A cabinet, but no use as a receptacle except for accrets.

look like itself.

sense is discontinuous. 17 Continental lady,

He's honest, on mine-."-"King Henry VIII."

32 Though screened, this may casily be dashed. 33 A great man who turned a blind eye upon an unwelcome sight . 34 Just skin and bones, not to

### mention the rag.

I One who, faced by the doctor, becomes an imitator. 'He keeps a shop. 2 Describes a ray of great penetra-

3 While apparently an incitement to even great savagery, it will lead into prelexity.

4 Though furthest, time will this 6 Here a sad nut disheartens.

6 Being Monarch of all he surveyed was, doubtless, why he crew

proxy marriage ceremony for a Princess In a little European

nowerful novel in "Right of Way." The story has to do with construct marriage and goes out into the tion of a factory in Cumberland, world to find a new life. There is which necessitates the building of charm and good characterisation a big dam, which the enemy of in this novel. adventure romance, with a Cornish the principal character attempts to wreck. There is ample romance, enowing the author at his best. Stephen McKenna is responsi-ble for "Pandora's Box" and thirteen other short stories, all of consuming interest. This is a

terest of the reader.

Paul Trent can always be made the author famous. We hold to the last page. have, indeed, seldom encountered Final Chance." It is the tale of book which no lover of really the fight of the self-willed daugh- first-class short stories should

In "The Hawkmoor Mystery," reporter. Illicit diamond buying W. H. Lane Crauford gives us a complicates the issue, but all really thrilling story, full of comes right in the end. An mystery. Starting with the theft of a diamond of great value from an Indian temple, the story switches on to an English country

7 You may write this down as valuable china, but it serves up quite

13 A banana is left for Bobby. He will consume it with gusto, I can nce (hidden). 15 Although a silly fellow, we must

look him up. 10 Comforts and stops after a cen-

18 An exclamation of amusement -but this may be taken two

20 Though of little practical value, it does describe Uranus.

21 Without making any noise, I lent the inner part. What's left is very cunning.

22 This old wenver compiled a dictionary. 24 Those of baby birds are disproportionately large.

25 Scottish landowners who are too big for their hiding place. 26 Gives up. 28 You'll have to take this little knot up before you can unravel

Saturday's Solution.



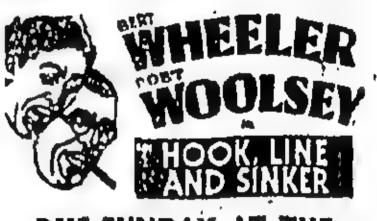
### Other Stories.

Another characteristic romance State, and of the danger, intrigue by Katharine Tynan is "The Charles E. Vivian has deservedly and romance which followed. Pitiful Lady," the story of a girl Hommersmith Bridge.—6 mins. won a high reputation as a writer Hegarded as fiction, and not as who finds her vocation in sees. Cambridge leading by 1 of exciting stories, and in "Incoming within the sphere of proveducing surgery through her coming within the sphere of proveducing surgery through her bability, it is a most arresting great love of animals. Quite a chiswick Steps.—Cambridge 11 very best. It is the tale of a tale, full of interest from start to charming story, very well told....

Effic A. Rowlands also has a Harold Bindloss has another good romance in "The Laughter of Life," the story of a young girl who resents her mother's second

In "The Moon of Romance," E. Maria Albanesi gives us a typical novel. It is a tale of young love, of a girl who accepts her employer's titled nephew though her heart is already given elsewhere. All comes right in the end, of

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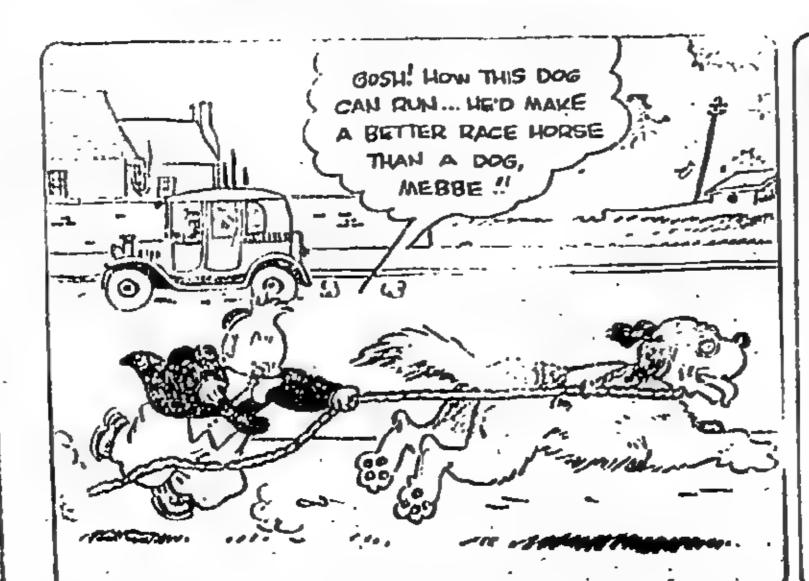
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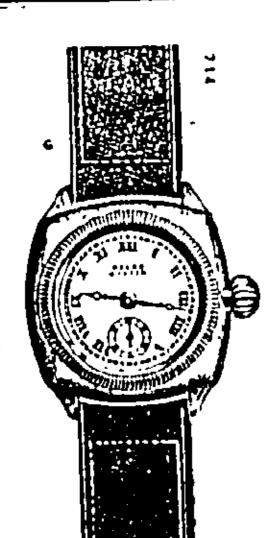
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### OBITUARY.

XAVIER, STELLA MARIA DE! Funeral will pass the monument that what is temporary has come at 5 30 p.m. to-day.

### The Hongkong Eclegraph

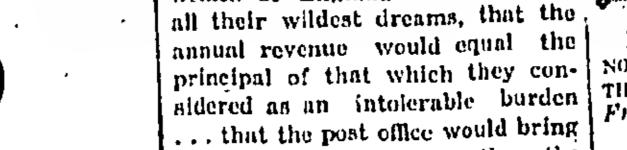
To the student of economics, it,

MONDAY, MARCH 21, 1932.

#### (Debussy) Paderewski. LOOKING BACK.

is interesting to recall that there existed in England 100 years ago similar causes, parallels that which of the Imports and Exports De- taking into consideration the accused's "Boycott ... Boycott ... Boycott." confronts the world to-day. Then parment, the total value of imports youth and the fact that it was his first Their clipped intonation, accenting as now, industry ran ahead of the in the month of February amount- offence. adjustment was at hand, and the property totalled \$37.0 mil-property of gloom found a religions (the lowest figure since ceptive public for their dreary August, 1930). world's demands. A period of ed to \$51.2 millions (the lowest ceptive public for their dreary August, 1930). predictions. Macaulay, with his As compared with residually of death, Colombo I case I death, the Bazaar quarters arging natives not to the old regime of meddle-facile pen, caught the spirit of the last year imports declined by \$4.4 | Phom-penh 3 cases 3 deaths. Cholera, to "follow Britain's own example" some politicians who sat at home Phom-penh 3 cases 3 deaths. Canton to "follow Britain's own example" some politicians who sat at home Phom-penh 3 cases 3 deaths. Canton to "follow Britain's own example" some politicians who sat at home Phom-penh 3 cases 3 deaths. Canton to "follow Britain's own example" some politicians who sat at home Phom-penh 3 cases 3 deaths. times in an essay on Southey's "Colloquies on Society," saying :- -"The present moment is one of great distress. But how small will \ that distress appear when we think over the history of the last forty years: a war, compared with ( which all other wars sink into Merchandise \$37,057,782 \$37,721,867 insignificance; taxation, such as Treasure the most heavily taxed people of Total former times could not have con- | Since February of 1931, ceived; a debt larger than all the months of merchandise into Hongkong have fluctuated from public debts that ever existed in the lowest dollar value the world added together . . . Yet millions) in February, 1932, to is the country poorer than in 1907? highest (71.8 millions) in March, We firmly believe that . . . she 1931, while exports fluctuated has been almost constantly becom- 1932 to \$54.4 millions in March; ing richer and richer. Now and 1931. then there has been a stoppage, now and then a short retrogression; but as to the general tendency there can be no doubt . . . . ' Having established the trend, he peered into the future. And while he gave rein to his imagination he kept his feet on solid ground. The railway was then in its infancy, the transition from man to machine power was Fusiliers arrived in Hongkong in its early stages, and the dim this morning aboard the troopship lights of the times showed that their way Home after 18 years' electricity as a source of illumina- service abroad. tion had yet to be-tested and developed. It is an apt moment up alongside the wharf, the to recall what he had to say of Battalion went for a route march the possibilities of a century then by large crowds. to come:-"If we were to prophesy that in the year 1930 a po- ed part of the Desence Force in pulation of 50,000,000 better fed. Shanghai, is to be stationed at clad and lodged than the English of | Catterick in Yorkshire. It was our time, will cover these islands . . } the-machines constructed on principles yet undiscovered will be in of silk socks and each officer every house, that there will be no with a pair of silk brocade cushion highways but railroads, no travel- covers by the Shanghai Citizens' ing but by steam, that our debt, Emergecy Committee in appreciavast as it seems to us, will appear to our great-grandchildren a) triffing incumbrance, which might easily be paid off in a year or two, many people would think us in-

#### told the Parliament which met in perplexity and terror after the erash in 1720 that in 1830 the



wealth of England would surpasa

more into the exchequer than the excise and customs had brought in together under Charles the Second, that stagecoaches would run from London to York in twenty-four hours, that men would sail without wind, and would be beginning to imported. ride without horses, our nucestors would have given as much credit to the prediction as they gave to Gulliver's Travels." Had Macaulay enjoyed the benefits of wireless, of electric light, of winged flight at

undoubtedly would have contem-

found that to almost all men the given treatment later at the Kowloon state of things under which they the necessary state of things: Government Civil Hospital, on Satur-Friday night is gymkhana night.

We have heard it said that five died. It was disclosed that he had the clubs and gosaina entertain. per cent, is the natural interest of money, that twelve is the natural money, that twelve is the natural chinese medicine.

died. It was disclosed that he had the clubs and gossips entertainsplit open skulls." Mr. Gandhi, ingly in the intervals of native of course, does not support such military band programmes. THE HONGKONG HOTEL number of a Jury, that forty shil- Chinese medicine. lings is the natural qualification of up to his own time progressive im- Aplichau, received injuries from which private, of course) when children all? Imprisonment of the leaders provement has been taking place. he died after being taken to the are safely indoors again. nabody seems to reckon on any im- Government Civil Hospital. Property market, but have been as all the rains of the strike of the provement during the next genera-

tion." The words of the distin- Hamburg Amerika steamer Rare discreetly, domestic telephones be- Unless other action as well is guished essayist afford food for ses, which arrived at Hongkong gin to ring. "I don't think I shall taken their cause will gain thought during the present phase last night, is Lady Grace Drumdaughter of Mr and Mrs Gre- of the industrial transformation. mond Hay, who is en route to gorio Maria, Xavier, died at her Tro often the tend ney, in a period Shanghai to "cover" the Sino-residence. No. 333 Homesey of trade depression, is to assume Drummond Hay is one of the best of history. But a same view, with which are distributed through her the picture in its proper perspective, will compass much. It is not always best to stand too near the

### HONGKONG TRADE FIGURES.

### IMPORTS AND EXPORTS) DECLINE.

Comparative figures

BIIIIIons:	Complete	
are:	*Imports. 1932	1931
Merchandise	\$51,210,733	\$55,592,41
Trensure	2,733,610	11,868.24
Total	53,944,343	57,460,60
	Exports.	

### THE ROYAL SCOTS FUSILIERS.

### A ROUTE MARCH IN KOWLOON.

The 2nd. Battn. The Royal Scots

Soon after the troopship tied

The Battalion, which has formgiven a magnificent send-off on leaving Shanghai. Moreover, each ranker was presented with a pair guarding the welfare of the | Settlement.

The Volunteer Defence Corps is to sane. We prophesy nothing; but be inspected on Murray Parade this we say: if any person had Ground by H.E. Major General Sandi-

### DAY BY DAY

DOST THOU LOVE LIFE, THEN DO NOT SQUANDER TIME, FOR THAT IS THE STUFF LIFE IS MADE OF .-

Wednesday.

show three cases each of small-pox and typhold, one of the latter being weight to prevent and about by the under the British he was never

iree vaccination service.

an unthought-of rate of speed, he Muriel, the 12-year-old daughter of plated the future with even greater

The point is that Macaulay dog in the hand and leg. She was high standard.

a voter. Hence it is that, though to alight from a moving Aberdeen are secretly very glad to see that is powerless to stop them, even if in every age everybody knows that the Mai fit-vegrald carrenter of their wives are safely back from he wished. Chau Mai, 61-year-old carpenter of shopping; mothers heave sighs (in And so what is the cure for it

known lady sournalists in the so sorry. I do hope," etc., etc. power has set in. world to-day, and her articles, lions of people in Europe and shop in Oxford-street or Regent- whose wealth has not almost com-

Lieut, A. C. E. Higgins, of H.M.S. such actions may be. But, all the simple reason that there is no such Herald, formed the subject of at same, far from pleasant.

Charge of larceny brought against a During the past few weeks there try that stretches farther than 17-year-old Chinese before Mr. School have been seeinmages almost try that stretches farther than 17-year-old Chinese before Mr. Scho- have been scrimmages almost from Ireland to the east of Russia, field at the Central Police Court this daily. A quiet main street will contains 250,000,000 people speakmorning. It was stated by Inspector suddenly echo shrilly with the ing over 100 different languages McLellan that the jersey was stolen shouts of a running Gandhi cap- and dialects, is informed by local from H.M.S. Herald about a month ago and on Saturday the defendant, who was working on board as an odd room-a couple of police wagons whose inhabitants are as unlike, who was working on board as an odd roar—a couple of police wagons in some respects, as are Volga-

I cases, Rangoon 172 cases 61 deaths, dian home trade. cherry 11 cases 7 deaths, Singapore ry into the real India, the vast

30 deaths.

### UNEASY LIES THE HEAD THAT WEARS A TOPEE.

By W. M. WEBSTER.

when the first business man who Politics he does not understand. The P. and O. s.s. Rawalpindl, from came to see me in Bombay solemnly Singapore, is due here at noon on produced a fully-loaded six-shooter A simple soul, he believes in from his attache case and pro- whatever he heard the last speaker Health returns for the week-end out the interview as a paper- the old regime and simply wants weight to prevent his documents to be left alone. He realises that whirring punkah over our heads. treated except with complete fair-He casually explained that as a ness. So long as he paid his due

accustomed to carrying the wea- own native leaders and so goes pon. Incidentally, he also said with them. that he had to get military leave. It is in the immensely thickly nounced of Frank Albert Merry, of of absence to come to Bombay, populated towns and cities that

For variety of emotion life in dia was a year ago. It is little

Under the Surface.

On the surface the white people in the streets. live normally. The yacht clubs had been used to live seemed to be Shortly after admission to the hold their races every Saturday. At a recent Congress meeting at

Yet underneath there is a quea-Through falling when attempting siness of uncertainty. Husbands fired the excitement of a mob, he

On some mornings little clouds corrective action for our weakness Among the passengers by the of rumours drift down the hill in the past. But those leaders

nice thing.

A football jersey belonging to Sub. athwart the doorway. Non-violent from Indians themselves for the

man Thatcher to be wearing it. His with loads of arrested Congress boatmen and Scottish crofters. Worship ordered the defendant to apitators aboard. Down the street there is to-day no unanimity of According to the official returns sign a bond for \$50 to come up for they come, the prosecuted yelling thought. compiled by the Statistical Branch judgment if called upon, his Worship from behind the wire netting: the last syllable, gives an unusual with possibilities of bloodshed in

sound to the familiar word.

Tuticorin 4 cases 4 deaths, Pondi- Yet go, as I have done, up coun- with their job. deaths, Hongkong 12 cases 7 deaths, sparsely populated lands where \$40,740,411 48,508,919 Amoy 15 cases 1 death, Canton 21 the real natives dwell, and there cases, Shanghai 30 cases 15 deaths. is no sign of political unrest or gress leaders were put away. ther he be Moslem or Hindu, only

"He probably won't come into his money for 20 years, so it

would be just like marrying an old man."

CERTAINLY thought that truth | wants to be left in peace to get was stranger than the talkies on with his own mode of living.

Victims of Terrorism. The St. John Ambulance Brigade member of a Reserve of Officers taxes he would be given a square report that up to March 17, 77,848 Corps in Calcutta he had grown deal. But he is terrified of his people had taken advantage of its

11. Felix Villas, and Barbara Mary He and his fellows are always the agitation takes most effect.

Nicholl, of 16, Peak Road.

prepared to mobilise at four hours' And few people at home realise how near to appalling trouble In-Kowloon, was yesterday bitten by a lindia to-day sets an excitingly over twelve months since Euro-Karachi were violently molested

Firing the Mob.

spark of his curious eloquence has

let Marjory go to the dancing class strength by sympathy of the mob to-day. Her ankle seems a trifle for them. Meantime the vicious stiff, you know. . . . How is circle of reduced trade, higher Jean . . . not going, either? I'm taxation and decreased spending

And so it goes on. And is not a Of the many Indian Princes who five years ago were fabulously rich Imagine your access to every there remain but an old half-dozen

too clean native lying full length the lit is useless to ask for a solution

Swift and Firm Action.

To run such a country, redolent with potential wealth and alive its foulest, religion-incited form, As compared with February of death, Hombay 1 case, Rangoon 2 white posters at the entrances to days do seem to be ahead, thanks Calcutta 32 cases 15 deaths, Canton and buy Swadeshi (Congress spondard I death. Small-pex, Sucr 3 sored) goods only. There is no the people who knew India, but to case 1 death. Bom- tariff argument or reason in this bay 8 cases 4 deaths, Calcutta 22 propaganda. It is purely anti-actions of experienced men on the death, Karachi 4 cases 1 death, British; not constructively direct- spot who, unfettered when the Madras 15 cases 6 deaths, Moulmein ed towards the promotion of In- National Government was formed at home, were allowed to get on

India is Not Lost.

The crisis passed when the Con-Cerebro-spinal fever, Macao 76 cases upheaval. The countryman, whe- Europeans in India sat in the action was mooted. The relief when no violent uprisings took place as the result thereof was real and immense. Business took a turn for the better. Yet the strong passive resistance in some native quarters still remains. It can only be overcome by the complete reestablishment of faith in Britain. If politicians at home only realised how every one of their publicly announced disagreements makes more difficult the return of that faith they would perhaps take more pains to work in harmony a « for the good of the Empire.

We have not lost India. But it is a far from pleasant sight to see natives impudently walking out of a cinema jostling white people standing at attention when "God Save the King-Emperor" is played at the conclusion of a performance.

### HUSBANDS AREN'T WHAT THEY WERE.

By L. C. MOORE.

It is a sad thing to have to say, but husbands are not what they were. We're decadent, that's what is the matter with us. Woman's stock is going up, while ours has protty well found the bottom. Now this worries me very much indeed. As a husband I feel part ly responsible, and I'm beginning to wonder how long it will be before we disappear from the face of the earth—or else are allowed to live just to give a house a fur-

nished look. Consider the matter in a calm and detached way. Once upon a. (Continued on Page 9.)

### CRACKER-FIRING NUISANCE.

### POLICE DENIAL OF DISCRIMINATION.

### OFFENDER FINED.

The recent extensive indulgence in cracker-firing, in celebration of imaginary Chinese victories at Shangnai, received further official comment at the Central Police Court to-day when replying to an allegation of discrimination in the matter of three' summonses taken out against the occupiers of a building directly opposite salvation, without the least propolice residential' quarters in spector-General of Police, P. P. J. Wodehouse, C.I.E. plained the official attitude, am- the Anglo-Dutch negotiations. lifying what he had stated at a the population to "let off steam,"

been disposed of last Monday, and Inggotiations definitely broke down. the two remaining, adjourned from last week, and which were taken out against the Tien Nam Daily Nees, the occupiers of 71, Wyndham Street, again came before Mr. Wynne-Jones.

Mr. Wodehouse in evidence stated that on March 4, at about 12 50 p.m., from his residence. immediately apposite, he could see extensive firing of crackers the ground and first floors of the hulding in question. Large Jun Hes of Hybted crackers were heing thrown into the street from the ground floor and by several persons on the first floor

#### "One Blaze of Crackers,"

The street outside, which was Renter. extensively used by motorrigatic. was one blaze of crackers explod ling for about 20 minutes. During the time that he had the place through the crackers. It appear ed to him then that the cars were the crackers should happen to strike the drivers

He was standing in the window of his house, exactly opposite, and it appeared to him that the whole staff of the printing office were engaged in firing crackers. saw eight or nine persons thus engaged, apart from the people in the vernacular school on thrown from the second floor were much less than from ground or first floor. Wyndham Street was the only guarantee the effective regulation place anywhere in the locality i where there was any eracker fir- ber," ing going on.

The Manager of the newspaper, replying to the charge, stated that back to July, 1930. after he received the summonses he made enquiries amongst his fokis and were told by them that Sir Philip Canliffe Lister to enter no crackers had been fired by linto negotiations was that all best-

Replying to the Magistrate, defendant admitted that he not in a position to say that he erackers were fired, apart from what he was told by his tokis. His "Worship: What the 'tokis

told you is no evidence. It was further pointed out to defendant that he should brought up his fokis if he was prepared to contest the sum-

### Reply to Critics

out. I wish to deny that it was considered. singled out as it just happened | The conclusion was, however, | they had left the house and raising that this place is under the nose reached that an export duty on na- the alarm. The first accused ran of the police and if they defied tive production gave no guarantee away, but was sighted by an Inthe Regulations they are less of a reduction in the native output | dian Police Reservist, who gave likely to be overlooked than other and the negotiations were discon- chase and caught the man in places elsewhere. I should like tinued. to mention through the Press that | The effect of the failue of the arrested, the accused shed a num-If the gentleman who wrote this negotiations on the rubber market ber of articles stolen from the letter would be public-spirited has, it is believed, been very house. enough to get into communica- largely discounted .- British Wireion with me and come to see me less. I should be pleased to take 'out summonses against any people he complains of.

a letter dated March II which was the police wanted to put a stop printed in the South China Morn- to. ing Post, from its Shanghai correspondent. Amongst other things, it referred to "the effect of the pyrotechnic patriotism of proved," concluded Mr. Wodesome three million people madly house, "I wish to press for a thing, and not caring very much stop them is to punish them, otherwhat, as long as the supply of wise they will keep on doing it." ernekers held out."

In my opinion, about 30 per cent. the first summons and registered might have been genuine patriots. this he fined the defendant \$50.

### RUBBER CRISIS.

### Native Output Problem.

Causes of London Breakdown.

### NO FURTHER HOPE.

London, Mar. 20. That the rubber industry will now have to work out its own spect of Government supervision Wyndham Street, the Deputy In- of limitation of output, is the view of well-informed quarters in the City, following the breakdown o

They declare that a tentative previous hearing as to allowing agreement between Britain and Holland could have been reached but for the difficulties in estimat-One of the summonses, apply- | inc the production of native-grown ing to the vernacular girls' school rubber in the Dutch East Indies. occupying the second floor, and it was on this point that the

#### Fundamental Points.

From the variety of complexil ties, it is learned that the negotiathe ground and first floors of No. tors agreed upon three fundamental points namely.

(1) the formulation of a scheme which failed would do more harm to the industry than no acheme at

(2) and the most vitab No wheme would be of any use which would not cover the restriction of both native and European pro-

3) Any scheme must reduce the production to such an extent that within a reasonable period, existand stocks could be roduced to inormal proporations; in other Awards, by at least fifty per cent.

#### Official Statement.

A Colonial Office Communique

four motor cars hake their way representatives of the rubber growers in British and Dutch oversens territories, have been engaged. in considerable danger it any of lin negotiations in order to see whe. her a practicable scheme for the approximent of the rubber suiturtron could be revised. In the le aise of these negotiations, the British and Netherlands Governmerts have consulted the Governments of Ceylon, Malaya and the Netherlands Indies.

"After a careful review of the -situation, the two governments have l been forced to the conclusion that under present conditions it is im- they have gone. possible to frame and operate an international scheme which would of the production or export of rub-

### Certainty Needed.

The negotiations were preceded by a series of discussions dating

One of the chief considerations which led the Colonial Secretary, Informed opinion, whether restri-Aronist or antirestrictionist, recertainty. The stocks of rubber in Sessions. the world at present are huge, but ing estimated at about six hundred Magrand Ko. Yat-cho, charged thousand tons. It was agreed that | with commuting an armed robbery if the stocks could be got and stealing a quantity of jeweldown to three hundred thousand Hery and money at Yaumati on tons, or six months' supply it might be regarded as reasonable.

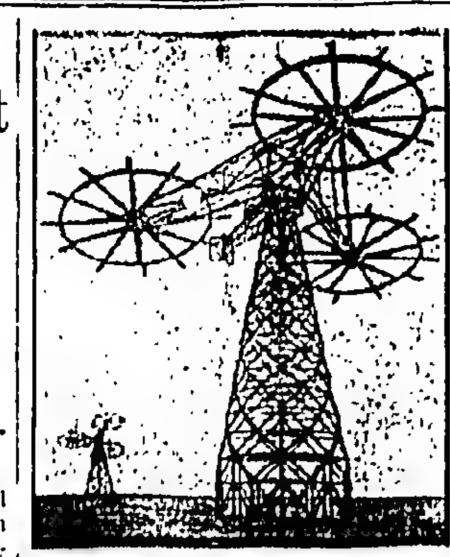
Hopicss Position. though the difficulties regarding the case. The robbery was complantation rubber might be over- mitted at 11, Saigon Street by the Mr. Wodehouse: Now that the come, and that it might be possible. Three men, one of whom was armed whole representatives of the Press although difficultato deal with na- with a dagger and another with are here, I should like to menti ni tive production by quota in Malaya a pistol. They entered the house a letter s'gned by "Disturbed" and Ceylon, insuperable difficulties in which were three women, a which appeared the next day or arose in regard to the Dutch East girl and four children, gged and the day after the summonses Indies, it being found impossible to bound the inmates, but therwise originally came up before this ascertain even the area of the na- did not ilf-treat them, and then Court. It expresses surprise that tive production in Sumatra, and ransacked the place, taking away this place should be summoned Java. A scheme based on a quota with them the jewellery and money and other places not, and it sug- for plantation rubber and export | mentioned in the charges. gests that it had been singled duty for native rubber was then | One woman displayed bravery

Mr. Wodehouse continued :- As joined in the fun without caring on the cry of the woman, who regards this question of eracker- what it was all about so long raised the alarm. The prisoners firing, I should also like to refer to as they could do it. That is what had made no hones about com-

### The Only Way.

"If your Worship find the case! intent upon celebrating some- heavy penalty. The only way to man.

His Worship found that the "What happened there," con- case was proved. As both sumtinued Mr. Wodehouse, "was monses concerned the same deexactly the same as in this Colony. fendant, his Worship withdrew of the people who fired crackers a conviction on the other. On



A remarkable looking windmill. with a wing-spread of 160 metres, and 500 metres high. The inventor, Herr Honnes, the German engineer, declares that 60 of such structures will supply all Gorman needs in electrical energy.

### HONGKONG.

A THE RESERVE ASSESSMENT ASSESSMENT OF THE PARTY OF THE P

#### BELGIAN PRINCE AND PRINCESS.

Hongkong is soon to have the privilege of a Royal visit, the Crown Prince and Prince is of Belgium being due to arrive here by the M.M. liner Georges Philippar on Tuesday, the 29th instant. Prince Leopold and wife (formerly Princess Astrid of Sweden) are travelling strictly incognito, as Count and Counters de Rethy.

The Royal couple, who are make ing their second tour of the East. Jeff Genoa for Singapore some months ago aboard the Netherlands Royal Mad at amer Marnax van St. Alderende, and have been on an extensive trip through Malaya, Siam and Indo-China.

They are coming here from Sal-The British and Netherlands I gon and on the same day as they under his observation, he saw Covernments, in association with arrive they will leave for Manila by the J.C.J.L. liner Tilengara. They will remain in the Philippines for about two weeks and then leave by the J.C.J.L. s.s. Tjibadak for Macassar. They plan to stay some time in the Datch East Indies, visiting Ball and Java, then leaving by P.N.M. liner for South Airica, whence they will later return to

> A very charming couple, the Prince and Princess mix treely with passengers aboard the boats by which they travel, and they have won great popularity sherever

### THREE YEARS FOR ROBBERS.

### POLICE RESERVIST COMMENDED.

Pleading guilty to charges of robbery with violence, three men were this morning each sentenced to three years' hard labour by Mr. cognised the desirability of getting [Ju Jie Wood at the Criminal

- The detendants were So Tak, Li January 29.

Mr. R. E. Lindsell, Crown Solicitor, prosecuted, and in giving the facts said there was no par-Negotiations showed that all ticularly distinguishing feature in

by following the men immediately Nathan Road. Just before he was

Mr. Lindsell said the prompt nction of the Police Reservist was most commendable, as he had no I idea whether the necused was The other 70 per cent, simply larmed or not, and merely acted mitting the erime, and had pleaded they did so being driven to it by

> poverty. His Lordship called up Police Reservist No. 233, who effected the capture of the first prisoner, and commended him for his prompt action in arresting the

wounded in Shanghai, through the Hongkong Chinese Medical Prac- are endeavouring to trace the offen- The final score was ten goals to titioners' organisation.

### BRIBERY OFFER SEQUEL.

#### FISHERMAN LET OFF LIGHTLY.

One month's hard labour was the sentence imposed on a Chinese who appeared at the Criminal Sessions this morning charge with offering a bribe of \$50 to Inspector G. A. Stimson, while his brother, who was arraigned on a similar charge, was acquitted two minutes after a jury had been empanelled. Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith, for the prosecution, said he had no evidence to offer against the second man.

The case before the Pusine Judge, Mr. Justice J. R. Wood and Mr. Hin Shing-lo appeared for both defendants, Lam Hoi-yip and Lam Hoi-ko, pleading guilty on behalf of the second accused and not guilty for the first.

In admitting that second ac-

cused had offered a bribe of \$50

the man did not do it in order to stiffe the prosecution, but because he feared rough handling or corporal punishment. As a matter of, fact, he was very well treated by the police. In pleading, ex-Shing-lo said the two men were blood relations, although the first Violin Solo-Minuet (Haydn-

I defendant was known as the master of the fishing junk, and the second accused as his fold. The lunk was left to them by their father when he died and was family legacy. The junk was! their only means of subsistence and in order to add to their meagre income, the second ac creed, who was the younger and more enterprising, a cured a quantity of dynamite, detonation capand luses to use for fishing. He thought be was right in stating that the police were perfectly ratisfied that the dynamite was being used for no nefarious pur poses, but solely with the idea of fishing. This was the first Lehariana (Gelger). offence committed by accused, and he submitted it was a case where

by the infliction of a small fine, without a term of imprisonment. His Lordship, in sentencing the man to one 'month's hard labour said he had to pass such a sentence in order to impress him, and the public, the importance of maintaining the integrity public servants.

Lam Hoi-yip, the first accused, was then dealt with, the following mry being empanelled: Messrs R. Sander (foreman). A. J. Kew, W. F. D'Azevedo, J. Gomes, J. K. F. June, T. W. Brunger and T. Davie.

Mr. Whyte-Smith, for the prosecution, said he did not intend | Song-One Little Raindrop. to offer any evidence, as the plead- Frank Crumit (Comedian), 22630. ing of the second accused had Violin Solo-Ramona. somewhat altered the case. The Violin Sclo-Could I Crown felt that the second accused had probably acted entirely | Song-The White Dove. on his own intitiative when offered the bribe, and that it was not at the suggestion or within the knowledge of the first fendant. The case against the lman was weak, and the prosecution therefore did not intend to I proceed with any evidence. His Lordship consequently ac quitted the first defendant.

EXCHANGE LITTLE

### HONGKONG DOLLAR UNCHANGED.

EASIER.

The exchange market both in Hongkong and Shanghai has an easy undertone to-day, though quotations are unchanged.

Silver in London is unchanged for spot, but down 1/16th forward. market being very quiet. New York reports a drop of 1/8th, on a dull market.

### NEW JUDICIAL APPOINTMENT.

#### MR. JUSTICE WRIGHT TO BE ELEVATED.

London, Mar. 20. The King has approved that Mr. Justice Wright be appointed Lord of Appeal in Ordinary, in succession to Viscount Dunedin, who is retiring from office April 5th .- British Wircless.

A push bicycle with a pillion rider going downhill in Stubbs Road played on the Radio ground at yesterday, ran into an aged Chinese, Caroline Hill. with the result that the victim, in falling, received injuries to his head, won by 6 goals to 2. The Saints Both the man who drove the bleycle were without the services of their and the pillion rider were alarmed at usual forward line and their re-The Euro-American Returned scious on the ground and fied. At Students' Union, Hongkong, has the Government Civil Hospital, The game with the Cumberland

### RADIO BROADCAST

gramme of Victor Records.

Thousand And One Nights-Medley

Evn (Lehar-Scott), Carmen Sylvia (Ivanovici). Nat Shilkret and His International

8.00 p.m. Local Time and Wea-

7.20-8.10 p.m. A Concert. Piano Solo-Valse Oublice (Ligat).

Vladimir Horowitz, 1455. Song-Clair De Lune (The Wistful Moon) (Verlaine-Szulc). Song-Beau Soir (Evening Fair) (Bourget-Debuasy).

tenuating circumstances, Mr. Hin Violin Solo-Nocturne (Tschaikowsky-Hartmanni.

Hartmann). Chorus-Where'er You Walk (Handel-Spress). Chorus-Bedouln Song (Foote).

America, 36043. Instrumental-Elegie (From String Serenade in C Major)

The Philadelphia Chamber String Song-Bois Epais (Sombre Forest) (Arr. Lully),

Enrice Caruso (Tenor), 1437. 8.10-9.00 p.m. Orchestral and Band Selections.

Orchestra, V-50002. the ends of justice could be met Cleopatra (Mancinelli arr. Creatore). Creatore's Band, 36045.

Fantasy of Melodies by Offenbach (Urbach), Marck Weber and His Orch. V-50033. Fete-Dieu a Seville (Holiday in

Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra. .7158. Marche Slave (Tschnikowsky). Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Leopold

Mong the Banks of the Volga (Borchert). Marck Weber and His Orch. V-78 9.00-10.00 p.m. Variety.

Take a Walk. Julia Sanderson and Frank Crumit.

Giulicita Morino with guitar and Plano. 12-81220. Lawrence Tibbett (Baritone). 1447.

Orchestral-The Lovers. Venetian Orchestra, V-6. Song-Jimmie the Kid. Song-My Blue Eyed Jane. Jimmie Rodgers. 23549.

Whistling Solo-Carry Me Back to Old Virginny. Bob MacGimsey, V-43. Humorous Song-Taught me How to

Play the Second Fiddle. Humorous Song-I'm a Specialist. Frank Crumit. 22859. Instrumental-Little Love Nest. Instrumental-Night of Enchantment. Giulietta Morino. V-70. Song-Hellof Beautiful!

Santafior (Ponchielli). Vocal Duct-Pearl Fishers-In the

arr. Creatore). Creatore's Band. 36001-36002. 10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press

10.33 p.m. (Approx:). Close

Over the week-end, the Radio Sports Club played two successful games of hockey against the St. Andrew's Club and H. M. S. Cumberland. Both matches were

donated the sum of \$510 for, the whither the injured man was taken by proved uninteresting and somemedical relief of the suffering and Dr. T'so, it was found that the man what monotonous, the Radio men suffering from concussion. The police doing practically as they liked.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME OF RECORDED MUSIC.

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7.05-7.20 p.m. Concert Waltzes Wnltz (Johann Strauss). Grand Salon Orchestra. V-50025.

Orchestra, V-50013,

ther Report.

to Inspector Stimson, counsel said Piano Solo-Capriccio in F Minor (Dohananyi),

Mary Garden (Soprano), 1439.

Rence Chemet, 6609. Associated Glee Clubs of

(Tachaikowsky).

Simfonietta, 4151. Song-The First Caress (De Crescenzo).

Marck Weber and His Salon

Saville) (Albeniz).

Stokowski, 6513.

Vocal Duet-Would You Like to

Song-When I'm Looking at You. Orchestral-Neapolitan-Nights.

Whistling Solo-Gypsy Love Song.

Song-Walkin' My Baby Back Home. Maurice Chevelier (Baritone). 22634. 10.00-10.30 p.m. Operatic. Vocal Duct-Enzo Grimaldo-Prince of

Depths of the Temple (Bizet). Beniamino Gigli and Giuseppe De There is no special feature, the Band-Pearl Fishers-Selection (Bizet

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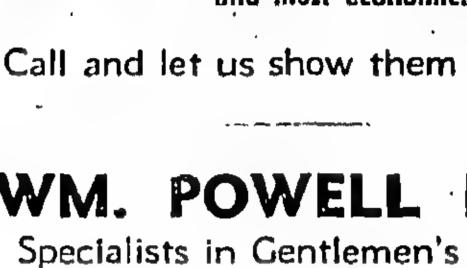
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SWANSON in "TO-NIGHT OR NEVER" CHESTER MORRIS in "CORSAIR"

#### LOCAL FOOTBALL.

### Borderers in Shield Final.

Spring to Life in Last Minutes.

### LEAGUE CHAMPIONS

The Royal Navy, already certain of the Senior League Champlouship-in the absence of the Argylla-further increased their advantage over their rivals on Saturday by defeating St. Joseph's.

The S. W. Borderers entered the Senior Shield Final by discovering their shooting boots in the closing stages of their match with the Police.

The results of Saturday's matches are appended:

Senior Shield Semi-final.

Borderers .... 4 Police .... 1 Junior Shield Semi-final.

12th Battery ... 3 Borderers .... 1 Senior League.

Navy ...... 3 St. Joseph's ... 0

Third Division. 

The other junior shield semifinal will probably have to be replayed, the referee playing twenty minutes short inadvertently.

THREE GOALS IN LAST SEVEN MINUTES.

Pear Display By The Police.

The Senior Shield semi-final, between the two strongest teams left in the competition, epitomised. the low level to which soccer has, generally speaking, fallen this nearon. Both sides played in such a purposeless fashion that for seventy minutes no worth while goal came or looked to be coming, though Shepherd had "fluked" one for the Police in the first half. Then Channings found himself in the right place at the time and equalised with a nice

For ten minutes or so afterwards, the Borderers, pressing stendily, seemed likely to drop into the listless style which had contributed to their complete inability to defeat McHardy in the first seventy minutes, when Jones got a flash of inpiration and did the hat trick in seven minutes.

The whirlwind finish failed to compensate for the tiresomeness of the play that had gone before. The Borderers served up plenty of "dainty" football, but completed ched shooting that they appeared lokfulam. The undergraduates for victory, winning by nine wickets. lice, who were weefully ragged nine wickets. were purely spasmodic, despite good work by the half-backs, who alone earned any praise.

The Borderers were sound in

against St. Joseph's. The result missed the Navy for 108 runs. was never in doubt. St. Joseph's did well to escape so lightly.

### YESTERDAY'S EVENT.

Yesterday, on the H.K.F.C. ground, analysis with three for 12. a charity game was played between a selected Navy XI and a Chinese team. Iv. C. C. Wu kicked off before a fainteroyd. The gate receipts went towards the fund being raised locally for the Shunghai refugees.

The line out was as under: R. Navy .- Wilson: Dixon and Stephens; Lawrence, Shirras and Robert son; Robinson, Redgate, Bland, Smith

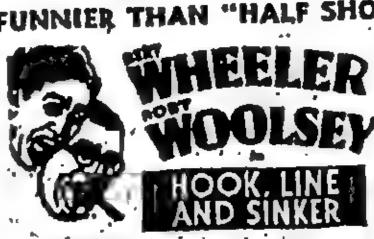
and Skinner. Chinese XI.—Chan Sik-pui; Lak Kwok-twang and Lai Mak-tok; Ho Choi-ying, Wong Sui-wah and Lam Yuk-ying; Li Hung-chung, Suen Kum-shun, Ho Kn-keung, Chan Chan-woo and Chan Kong-su.

Referee, S.B. P. O. Holt. Play opened very briskly, the ball travelling from end to end, neither attack being good enough to over-come the defence. The first half was full of thrills, but there was no

After the change of ends, the Navy held the upper hand, and after ten minutes play in this half, Robinson opened the score. For a time the Chinese were outplayed, and with the Navy pressing Robinson scored again and put them two up.

During the next few minutes the exchanges were even. A breakaway y the Chinese gave Suen a chance and he bent Wilson from close range.
The Chinese then went out to level
up, but the Navy defence held out
until the final whistle sounded.

FUNNIER THAN "HALF SHOT"



DUE SUNDAY AT THE QUEEN'S.



LOCAL CRICKET.

HONGKONG C.C. OUT FOR 57 RUNS.

The surprise of the week-end cricket was the easy victory of the University 1st XI pver the The undergraduates had no diff. S. Suffind two for five. Hougkong C.C. 1st XI, who were culty in knocking off the required runs S.W.B. v H.K.

LEAGUE I.

Kowloon C.C. Defeat Royal Navy.

four wickets for 26 runs. All the the University. Kowloon bowlers had their share of honours, Lynl returning the best

H.K.C.C. SWAMPED.

was probably responsible for the poor second string! They played two re- runs.

R.A.S.C. and the University 2nd XI The strong Kowloon attack played at Sookunpoo. After knocking up 40 a large part in their victory over the runs, he went on to take six wickets The Navy had several new- Royal Navy. After knocking up 160 for 34 runs, playing a great part in comers in the side they fielded runs by consistent batting, they dis- the victory of his side. The University batting collapsed and the whole Of the Navy bowlers, E.R.A. Hol- side was out for 73 runs. D. Roy land was the most successful, taking captured five wickets for 22 runs for

FRIENDLY MATCHES.

I.R.C. 2nd XI Defeat the I.R.C. 1st XI.

show the Hongkong C.C. put up when they visited the University. With the exception of A.C. Beek, who went in first wicket and was not out when the last wicket fell, all the other Club batsmen failed against the bowling of Granto who took four wickets for lightly of the bowling of the 2nd XI. of Gosano, who took four wickets for lightly of the bowling of the 2nd XI, only nine runs. Baker, who had three the seniors were all out for 96 runs. for 15, and Anderson who claimed two A.K. Ismail took three wickets for 24 runs, M.R. Abbas two for one and A.

S.W.B. v H.K.C.C.

Playing on the Hongkong C. C. ground, the South Wales Borderers defeated the home team by 94 runs. The visitors compiled 160 runs, Lt. de R.A.S.C. Defeat University
at Sookunpoo.

Whitley's all-round display was a feature of the match between the were all out for 76.

YESTERDAY'S MATCH.

Indian R.C. 2nd XI Gain Three More Points.

By defeating the Royal Army Service Corps in a League match yesterday at Sookunpoo, the Indian R.C. 2nd XI have gone to the head of the League table, one point ahead of the Kowloon C.C. 2nd XI for the same number of matches played.

The Indians won comfortably by seven wickets. They dismissed the Dismissed for 57 Runs by
Undergraduates.

The indian R.G. 1st XI, which have just won the Senior Lengue, suffered the went on to make 145 runs. F. M. their first defeat of the season on the Senior Lengue, suffered went on to make 145 runs. F. M. their first defeat of the season on the Senior Lengue, suffered went on to make 145 runs. F. M. their first defeat of the season on the season of th

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### CINEMA SCREENINGS.

#### NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES.

"Young As You Feel," the longawaited Will Rogers' comedy drama, in which the popular screen star and | the season at King's Park on Saturcomedian is seen for the first time | day afternoon, when, playing against as a model of what the well dressed a combined team drawn from The man should wear, is showing to-day at | Rest, the Hongkong Ladies Hockey the King's Theatre.

The story deals with the quite human and logical predicament of a kind and wealthy widower who finds his two wilful sons slowly getting beyond his control. They absolutely refuse to share the responsibilities of his large meat packing business, but are very willing to spend its profits. on their nocial and sports activities.

After years of patience Rogers docliden to bent his sons at their own game, and in the company of that delightful French comedienne, Dorany, he visits an expensive tailor, and makes the rounds of the various night clubs, race tracks and other centres of pleasure.

And his plan gets results, results that are not only surprising Rogers, Fift, and his sons, but which will amaze you, too,

"Young As You Feel," which Rogers' fifth starring Fox picture, the talking acreen's teraion George Ade's well known stage play-"Father And The Boys" It is said to offer Rogers the best opportunity of his centre screen career to display his natural and homely style of humour and to be the most human and hilarious of his pictures,

sterling quality, including that colebrated character actor, Lucien Lindeand Rosalle Roy and larile Browne are the feminine members of the vonthful and romantic foursome, Other important players are Brandon Hurst, who recently played with

Rogers in "A Connectiont Yankee, C. Henry Gorden and Gregory Gaye, the colours of the H.K.L.H.C., and Frank Borzage, who directed "They cheered by the gathering, Had To See Paris" which picture marked the screen debut of both Rogers and Fill Dorsny, directed the production.

#### Author who was a Spy.

novel (which will be remembered as clear their previous instruments and an Evening Standard serial) was so on, therefore strange though it himself a British Intelligence officer may sound insuring Sydney Howard who had adventures in Germany dur- meninst the "lose of voice" during a ing the war. A screen reconstruction | talkie production, it is a most logical of his actual experiences might have and sensible procedure, "Tilly of been less obviously thrilling than the Bloomsbury" which will be again drama of his imaginary Dupean shown by request at the King's Grant; but it would be very interest. Thentre for one day only next

"The 'W' Plan," It may be recalled, was a plan to burrow under No Man's Land to a point well behind the British lines, where, at a given signa! the Germans would blast their way umvards.

Grant, wearing the uniform of a dead German major, lands in enemy territory from an aeroplane, visits the mother of the dead man, and steals his plans.

After that he kill, a German private for his uniform, is arrested as a descrier, and sent as interpreter to the "W" Plan workings, upon which British preoners are employed, With the help of the prisoners and

some dynamite Grant blows up a tunnel, climbs through the center into No Man's Land get to the British trenches with the German plans-and frustrates their knavish tricks.

Mr. Saville almost convinces one that it could have happened, scenes in the workings, with gangs of prisoners driven through the galleries at the double, the clatter of machinery and the brusque German commands are shown both to the ear and eye with great skill.

There are several pleasing acquences in the open air. Brian Aberne. whose last film was also "Underground," makes his debut in talkies. He is an efficient netor in the role of Duncan Grant

The supporting east is strong with Gerdon Harker and Gibb McLaughlin, us prisoners, and Alfred Prayton and Charles Paton, in a court-martial scene, descrying special mention. 'The 'W' Plan' will be shown at the Queen's Theatre beginning Thurs.

### "Tilly of Bloomsbury."

Stereotyped ideas are not the only things they change these swiftly moving times. The entry of talking pictures into the field of modern entertainment calls for a new method of insuring highly salaried film stars against any unforecen accident that might mar the smooth running of a Talkie director's schedule. Every moment during the filming of a production costs money. -big money, and Jack Raymond who directed Sterling Co.'s, talkie "Tilly Bloomsbury" has the rare reputation for "sticking to schedule."

But "there's many a slip twix cup and lin." or if on likes "twix mike and voice," so Sterling Film Co., Ltd. have insured Sydney Howard, who is playing the part of Stillbottle in Ian Hay's well-known comedy-not only on general lines but principally for "loss of voice."

The premium was a very heavy one, and in view of the present epidemic of colds and influenza, this can be understood also when one considers that Sydney Howard is at the same part at the Strand Theatre in "It's In condensing his lengthy film he A Boy." A strain on the vocal has retained only the highlights, the chords there must be for any artist strangest and most thrilling of his chords there must be for any artist who, besides absorbing the usual amoky atmosphere of a West End Auditorium, further strains the larynx, when the next day at the studio the peculiar and varied inflections of voice necessary for the proper, interpretation of the many comedy "lines" have to be spoken to perfection. But this dual appearance in theatre and studio is not any new experience to Sydney Howard, for he was appearing at a West End theatre when he also was playing opposite Madeleine Carroll in the successful talkie version of "French Leave" also produced by Jack Raymond for Sterl.

Strangest and most thrilling of his experiences, the most colourful personalities encountered and the unusual events and sites visited while he was the guest of Oriental royalty. China, Japan. Siam. Indo-China, India, Inwaii and the Philippines are the countries which form the basis for this film.

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In between are some of the most fascinating travel scenes any film camera has recorded. The deadly cobra, the sacred monkeys of India and the white elephant of Siam revent themselves and there are vent themselves are the countries which for the same themselves and the produced by Jack Raymond for Sterl. produced by Jack Raymond for Sterl- football, a fist-and-foot prize fight ing Film Co. Ltd.

### CAER CUP SEASON.

MRS. SOUTHORN PRESENTS THE TROPHY.

The Caer Clark Cup hockey competition was brought to a close for Club, who have emerged champions for the third year in succession, secured a victory by four clear goals. They had gone through the season without a single defeat, and the victory was a fitting culmination to a record upon which they can be heartily congratulated. Mrs. W.T. Southorn presented the Cup to the winners.

For the winners, H. Knill was an outstanding forward, whilst B.M. Pape, E.M. Gray, and J. Smalley also played a fine defensive game. M. Woolley, M.D. White, and C

Butelhe were amongst the best players in the defeated toam.

At the close of the match, addressing the large gathering present Mrs. W.T. Southorn congratulated the Champions, and had a word of appreciation and encouragement for the other teams in the League. Referring to the rapid progress made within the three years of the history she expressed the hope that the competition would go on and on, with more cams entering the field.

"This afternoon's match," she said, "is the first I have seen in all my life ... a terrible confession to make, I know-but I must say that I have In addition to Miss Dorsay, the | really been thrilled and excited all the comedian is supported by a cast of time, and I have enjoyed the game very much indeed."

Mrs. Southorn recalled that Mr. field. Donald Dillaway and Perrance J. Ormored had contributed in large Ray impersonate the two spoiled sons, measure to the success of the Hongdoors Ladles Hockey Club, and, on their behalf, she presented him with a silver tankard as a token of their

Mrs. Southorn was presented with a lovely bunch of gladloli, tied with

There have been many instances in the past when ballerings have taken the precautionary measure of insuring their legs boxers their hunds "Graham Seton," the author of the stage magicians their fingers, musi-Wednesday.

### "Cuckoo" Stars Back Again,

For screamingly funny situations, Radio Pictures' farce, "Hook, Line and Sinker." -co-featuring Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey coming next Sunday to the Queen's Theatre in the senson's masterpiece. It is a "straight" comedy even funnier than "The Cuckoos" and "Half Shot at Sunrise," It lifts these comedy kings into a class by themselves, specialists in comedy both high and low. They are at their best at clowning, and they are also at their best when genuine dramatic artistry is required. The story starts with a roar and

pains in momentum, which never blackens speed nor volume. The boys start out as insurance salesmen politely steal a whole railroad train butt in on the affairs of a beautiful girl: . . take over the hotel she has inherited . . . fill it with society downgers and their jowola . then, when publicity brings all the

crooks in creation into the hotel, th piot begins in enmest. The girl's mother detests Wheeler, Woolsey plots to marry the mother so he can become the girl's father and give her to Wheeler. The crooks plot to slay the heroes and cop every.

thing for themselves. Dorothy Lee, as the daughter gives her usual vivacious performance. Johyna Howland, the tall correctionne of "Dixiana" is a scream. Fine dramatic artists, Ralph Harolde, George Marion, Natalic Moorhead, Stanley Fields, and Bill Davidson round out an all-star supporting east for the

### Fairbanks in "Around The World."

In a world in which speed has become a matter of supreme importance. nothing has been more intriguing than the efforts of men to set new records for encircling the world. Jules Verne staggered the human imagination when he wrote his "Around the World in 80 days", a feat which at a time was thought incredible.

Now comes Douglas Fairbanks in viting the public to accompany him "Around the World in 80 Minutes". his latest United Artists super-special production, shown to crowded houses! at the Central Theatre within the last two days.

The Fairbanks record in a cinematic one, record his adventures in a ceent journey on which he was necompanied by a sound camera.

The adventure-loving Doug, netualy spent several months on his jaunt to the strange and far-away places. Several hundred thousand feet of film negative was shot during the expedition. But all this has been boiled down to exactly 80 minutes'

and other interesting events.

### SHARE PRICES.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

#### Banks.

Hongkong Banks, \$1,450 sa. Chartered Banks, £11% n. Mercantile A. and B., £19 b. East Asia, \$115 n. x. Div.

### Insurances,

Canton Ins., \$1,350 n. Union Ins., \$4471/2 n. China Underwriters, \$4 b. China Fires, \$590 n. H.K. Fire In., \$1,250 n.

#### Shipping.

Douglases, \$261/2 n. H. K. Stenmbonts, \$23 n. Indo-Chinas, (Pref.) \$32 n. Union Waterbouts, \$25 s.

### Mining.

Benguets, \$11.75 n. Kallans, 30/- n. S'hai Explorations, Tls. 2.10 n. Raubs, \$39.n.

#### Docks, etc.

Kowloon Wharves, \$1441/2 n. Whampon Docks, \$27 n. South China Motors \$10 n. Providents (old), \$4.95 b. Hongkews, Tla. 220 n. New Engineers Tls. 61/2 n. Shanghai Docks; Tls. 901/2 D. Cottons.

Ewo Cottons, Tls. 14.75 b. Shanghai Cottons, Tis, 801/2 n. Zoon Singa Tla. 111/2 n.

### Lands, Hotels, etc. H.K. Hotels \$13.75 b. Cum Rts.

H.K. Lands, \$75 b. S'hai Lands, Tls. 27 n. Humphreys \$18 s. Realties, \$10,50 h.

#### Public Otilities

Tramways, \$21,40 sa. Peak Trams, (old), \$15.60 it. Star Ferries; \$91 b. China Lights, \$21 b. H.K. Electrics, \$741/2. Macao Electrics, \$23 n. Telephones, \$41 n. China Buses, Tls. 16 n Singapore Tractions, 3% n.

### Industrials

Malabons, \$22 s. Canton Ices, \$5 b. Cements (com.) \$18.75 b. Ropes, \$175; n.

### Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$28,75 b. Watsons, \$15.60 b. Der A. Wings. \$1 n. Lane Crawfords, \$5.25 b. Mackintosh, \$19 h. Sinceres \$14.70 n. Powells, \$3.60 n.

### Miscellaneous.

Amusements, \$201/4 b. Entertainments (old) \$151/2 n. Constructions (old) \$6 b. S. C. Enterprises \$10 n. B. Ind. G. \$ Bonds, \$58% n. Loans, \$4% b. Prem. Constructions (new), \$1.75 n.

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lished altogether. His wife can educates his children, gives them medical attention, clothes them if to get in a bit of practice by assertthey are hungry. Father needn't! be on the map.

-who once bore the proud reputa- office he can't even bully the office bolders tion of boing the backbone of the boy, let alone rule the staff with surplus nation—their morale is even lower, iron justice, for an inferiority comif that's possible. True, they have plex cannot be put on and off like to find the money for everything, a cont. but their wives give them not the! slightest credit for the way they find it. The wives say it's no more than they night to do-and the FUNNIER THAN "HALF SHOT"

inanies or something.

ed his own death-knell. He only

she is succeeding all right now. Why, even thirty or so years ago the world. were synonymous, but within the approved security. Current and Fixed Deposit HANKOW last couple of decades woman has secounts epened attained what the politicians call SAVINGS BANK ACCOUNTS:-Interest economic freedom, and she has got application. us down.

Now he has completely lost it. The modern wife doesn't threaten to go home, but back to the office. where she would earn enough to keep her in comfort. Consequently he daren't risk losing her. That's why men always apologise for the Total Resources over H\$30,000,000 Women's influence in politics is and Exchange business transact- Changehon slowly and surely undermining ed. man isn't even the owner of his rencles opened for clients. wife's property now; she is allowed to own it herself. If that isn't posit Boxes, decadence I don't know what is, i

So far as the great mass of pro- the world. ple are concerned, the post of father night just as well be almeasily look after herself; the State

men let them get away with it. What Britain needs is a generation of strong men, but I fear that generation will never arise. How can it? Once upon a time a man could practise being strong at home; he'd stand with his back to the fire laying down the law and telling the family how he wanted them to behave. Then he went out and floated several new com-

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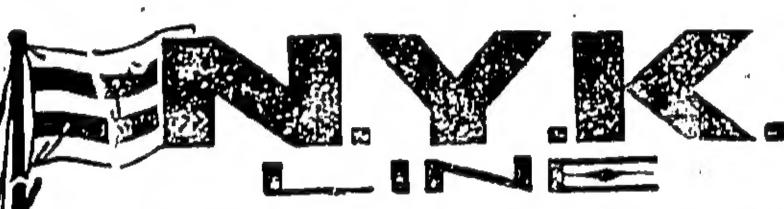
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### SCHOOL SPORTS.

QUEEN'S COLLEGE HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING.

Queen's College held its Seventeenth Annual Athletic Meeting on Saturday SIXTY-TWO thousand speciators afternoon at Causeway Bay. Although S watched the Cup-final rehearsal no records were broken, several good at Highbury yesterday between the performances were recorded, and some Arsenal and Newcastle. of the finishes were as close as could Hulmes' goal scored in the first five be desired, thus adding to the enjoy- minutes proved the deciding factor in ment of the participants and the the game.

spectators alike. ... and the meeting attracted a large completely outplayed them, and number of friends and old boys. Wolverhampton Wanderers have now deposed Leeds as leaders of the Second on the programme and the organisers Division. are to be congratulated on the success

in two others, M. el Arculli won the day was his seventh "hat-trick" this Senior Championship. In the junior senson.—Our Own Correspondent, division, Yu Hing-wan swept the boards, being placed in almost every the Second Division, Scottish League, event in which he started.

At the conclusion of the meeting. Mr. F. J. de Rome, the Headmaster of the School, after congratulating the winners and thanking the organisers of the meeting, called upon Mr. Lo Cheung-shiu, J.P., an old "Q.C." to distribute the prizes.

Results. The full results were: Long Jump (Senior Championship):—1, M. cl Arculli; 2, Li Sui-hung; 3, Pang Hoi-ying. Distance.—

18 ft. 1 ln. Long Jump (Junior Championship:-1, Yu Hing-wan; 2, Ku Manwah, 3, Y. Hassan, Distance,-14 Barnsley ft. 11 ins.

100 Yards (Senior Champion- Bristol C. ship):-1, F. R. Abbas; 2, Chan Yu. Bary chuen: 3, M. el Arculli. Yards (Junior Champion Milwall ship);-1, Yu Hing-wan; 2, Chan Kam-sung; 3, Y. Hassan.

High Jump (Senior Champion- Plymouth ship):-st, M. el Arculli; 2, F. R. Abbas; S. Li Sul-hung and Wong Swansen Kam-fook. Height: 5 ft. 2 ins. High Jump (Junior Championship); -- I. Ku Man-wah; 2, Yu Hing- Brentford wan and Chang Chak-lau, Reight

4 ft. 2-ins.-120 Yards Hurdles (Senior Champlonship):-t, Ip Sik-ling; 2, Li Shui- Fulham hung: 3, K. Nazarin. 120 Yards Hurdles (Junior Champlonship):-1, Ku Man-wah; 2, Yu

Hing-wan; 3, Chu Kuen-kin. Half Mile Handicap: -- I, Hui Tazetsun; 2, Yau Plag-luen; 3, Lam Tsoi- Thames

Three-Legged Race:-1, A. M. and A. R. Abbas; 2, N. and S. Lee. 100 Yards (Class 8):--1, Chu Koonhon; 2, Lui San-chuen; 3, Kwong Yu-

Yards, (Senior Championship) :-- 1. Chan Fook-tin; 2, Hung Kit-chiu; 3, M. el Arculli. 440' Yards (Junior Champion- Lincoln ship);-1, Yu Hing-wan; 2, Ku Man- New Brighton wah: 3. Chau Kam-sing. One Mile Race:-1, Leung Kam-

too: 2, Hui Tsze-tsun and A. M. Invitation Relay Race:-1, St. Joseph's College; 2, Central British Aberdeen School

Old Boys' Potate and Spoon Race:--1. F. Grose. 220 Yards (Senior Champion- Falkirk ship):-1, Chau Fook-tin; 2, Hung Leith Kit-chiu; 3, M. el Arculli. Yards (Junior Championship):-1, Yu Hing-wan; 2, Ku Man- St. Mirren wah; 3, Chau Kam-shing.

Senior Class Team Race:-Form Junior Class Team Race :- Form

Consolation Race:--Hyng Mo-chiu; li Hang-fat. Senior Champion:-- M. el Arculli. Junior Champion:-Yu Hing-wan.

#### ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE. Enjoyable Afternoon Spent At Stanley.

The students of St. Stephen's College spent an enjoyable afternoon at Stanley on Saturday when the Annual Athletic Meeting was held. A feature of the sports was the excellent performances recorded in several (Time: 10.2/5 secs\*); 2, Tan Yong-

In the High Jumping Event, Tan 41/2 ins., which is equal to the local 440 Yards:-1, Kwik Sinng-kee we, according to his promise, look Inter-School Record. Chon Keng-ju (Time: 58.3/5 secs.); 2, How Suenwon the Putting-the-Shot Event with cheung. a put of 33 ft. 11% ins., which betters High Jump;-1, Tan Yung-mee (II Peter 3; 10, 13). the Inter-School Record. The 100 (Height: 5 ft. 4% ins.\*) 2, Kwik Yards Dash was won by Kwik Siang- Siang-kee. kee in the good time of 10.2/6 secs., Long Jump:-1, Liang Pao-kwei the Christian Science textbook, and Koh Hor-khoon created a new (Distance: 19 ft. 91/2 ins.4); 2, Tan school record by registering 19 ft, 11 Yung-mee.

ins, in the Long Jump. There was a large number of spectators at the meeting, among them being Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shen- Cheung Wing-ngai.
ton, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. P. Lauder, Putting the Shot:-1. Chon Keng-ju prizes were distributed by Mrs. S. F. Choo-bing. Tan at the conclusion of the meeting. Hop, Step and Jump:—1, Tan Yung-Among the trophies was a handsome mee; 2, Kon Hor-khoon. shield presented for the Three Mile Race by the Shun Loo Old Boys' Association.

#### Results. The full results were:

Small Boyn.

Egg and Spoon:-1, Han Tingquen; 2, Ngo Chiu-eng. Three-Legged:-1, Ngo Chiu-eng and Cheung Wing-jor; 2, Tang Hungtak and Lam Shiu-cheung. Obstacle:-1, Ngo Chiu-eng; Cheung Wing-jor.

100 Yards:-1, Tang Hung-tak; 2, Inn Ting-yuen. High Jump:-1, Tang Hung-tak and Lee Khoon-iu. 11/2 Miles:-1, Tang Hung-tak; Joseph's College); 2, Lok Yan-kook Han Ting-yuen. 2. Ngo Chiu-eng; 3, Poo See-dong.

Junior. 100 Yards:-1, Koh Hor-khoon; 2, Cheung Wing-ngai. 220 Yards:-1, Koh Hor-khodh; 2, Go Kheng-hoe. 440 Yards:-1, Cheung Wing-ngal;

2. Lee Wan-yik. ngai; 2, Choung Wing-ngok. Long Jump:—1, Koh Hor-khoon; 2, Group "C" (89 points). Cheung Wing-ngai. Distance: 19 It. Children's Race;—1, Ann Fosteo; 2, 11 ins. (School record).

### HOME FOOTBALL.

ARSENAL WIN CUP REHEARSAL

London, Mar. 20.

Wenther conditions were favourable at home to Manchester United, who

Everton, who won with ease have now scored 101 goals to date this By winning two events and placed season, and Dean's three goals yester-The results, with the exception of

### were cabled by Reuter.

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### Senior.

100 Yards:-1, Kwik Slang-kee 220 Yards:-1, Kwik Sinng-kee

Obstacle:-1, Kwik Choo-bing; Mr. and Mrs. Lau Kai. The (Distance: 38 ft. 11 1/2 ins."); 2, Kwik

Half Mile:-1, Lee Hun-sing (Time: 2 mins. 33 secs.); 2, Chin Tsan-yain;

3 Miles:-1, How Suen-choung; 2, Cheung Wing-ngal; 3, Ling Sung-hei. Group.

Relay:-Group B.

Tug-of-War:-Group A. Sundry:

Servants:-1, Ah Kao; 2, Hui Tung- and shing; 3, Yung Sao. \* Equal to, or better than, record for Hongkong Inter-Schools Sports. Old Boys:-1, Lo Kwang-mia; 2, Visitors:-1, John Sequeira (St. (Man San College).

Challenge Cups, etc.

Three Miles:-How Soon-cheung. Junior Championship:-Koh Horkhoon (17 points). Senior Championship: - Kwik Siangkee (19 points).

High Jump:-1, Choung Wing- Group Championship:-Group "B" (108 points); Group "A" (97 points);



### DUE SOON AT THE QUEEN'S. THREE KINDS OF LOVE.

(Continued from Page 3.) to be led along, "Is that if you're going as far as the fire house, I

don't see why you can't go on the Ea don't see why you can't go on the Empr. of Asia Mar. 25 Mar. 28 rest of the way and call on him Empr. of Canada Apr. 8 Apr. 11 o Mr. Carmichael and all, instead of Empr. of Japan I me calling on him and giving him Empr. of Asia "All I can say to that," deplored | Empress of Japan July 1 July 4

Mary-Frances, "is that if you don't just naturally understand a thing lik this, Ermintrude, just naturally understand it, it wouldn't be any use in the world for me to try I to explain it to you. I'd do as much o for you, any time. And, anyway, 0 I don't think it is such an awful lot to do, considering that I'm right | in the midst of a life tragedy and everything."

"Mary-Frances," said Ermintrude, "are you positively certain that you flunked algebra this morn-

3 ing?" "That's about the hundredth time you've asked me. What's the use I of talking about it all the time?" "You don't even care, do you, that we won't get our ponies to ride in camp nor anything?"

"I do too care. But I think your father will get yours anyway. It wouldn't be right not to get yours

1 just because I flunked." "The trouble with Daddy," sighed Ermintrude, "is that he always does just exactly what he says he will, and he never does what he says he won't. He said if we both passed in everything he'd get us both ponies to ride. And if we had, he'd of got the ponies if he'd had to go. to Pendleton or some place and steal 'em. But since you flunked, o he won't, and that's all there is to o ii I guess I know my own father

better than you do." (To be Continued.)

### LESSON SERMON.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, HONGKONG.

"Matter" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches o of Christ, Scientist, yesterday. The Golden Text was-"Be still and know that I am God. 1 will be exalted among the heathen, I will be exalted in the earth." (Ps. 46; 10). Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible,-"The day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night: in the which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burnt up. Nevertheless wherein dwelleth rightcousness."

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy,-"Every object in material thought will be destroyed, but the spiritual idea, whose substance is Mind, is eternal. The offspring of God start not from matter or ephemeral dust. They are in and of Spirit, divine Mind, and so forever continue (p. 267).

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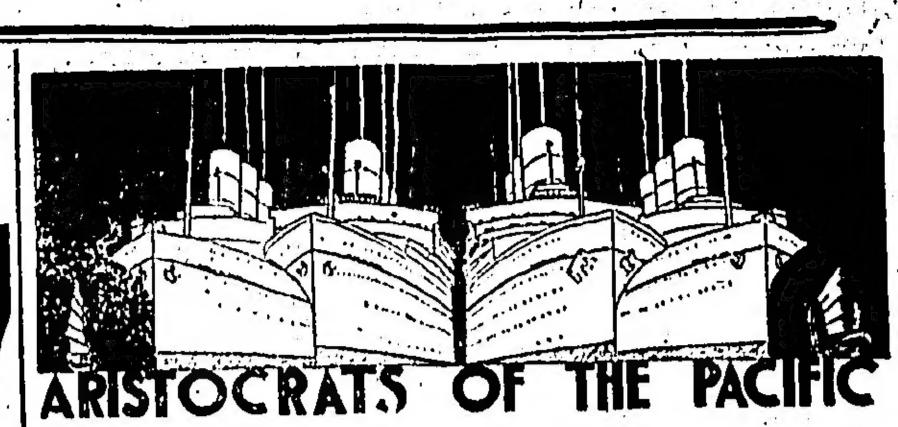
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#### FRANCE AND U.S. FACE DEFICITS.

EMPTY TREASURIES AND DWINDLING REVENUES.

London, Mar. 20.

While Britain is surmounting her financial difficulties, other countries are labouring in the trough of depression.

respondent, a gloomy view o. France's financial position is taken that the Trensury was almost ment. empty. Public expenditure had grown immensurably, while reloss than seven milliards of francs.

From Washington it is reported questions involved .- Reuterthat unless new revenue is found, immediately, the United States of those the year before.

the Sales Tax, which is at present effort. meeting very stiff opposition in the House of Representatives, from rebels of both parties, who are de- change for the better since the manding an increased income tax. National Government took office, from the wealthier classes .- Ren- which has been described as almost

No Relaxation Yet.

London, Mar. 19.

Anancial outlook, brought about hudget,-British Wireless.

### GOVERNMENT TRIES ITS OWN PLAN.

TO SETTLE INDIA'S MANY COMMUNAL PROBLEMS.

London, Mar 19. After the failure of the Round Table Conference to solve the com-

munal problem in India itself, the British Government, in accordance According to Reuter's Paris cor- with the Prime Minister's state ment in December, firmly intends in a speech by the aged former Pre- to introduce without delay, its mier, M. Caillaux, who declared own scheme for a provisional settle-

'The Government's statement on colpts were dwindling. The deficit | the matter mays that it is at present for the 1933 budget would not be engaged in a careful re-examination of the difficult controversial

Treasury will face a deficit of during the past few months, the \$2,500,000,000 at the end of the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. by the two Governments.-Reuter. deficit of \$903,000,000 last year. Neville Chamberlain, in a speech The total of income tax receipts at Hirmingham, uttered a warning for the fiscal year, which began on against optimistic assumptions that June 30, is little more than half the emergency which called the and Dutch Governments' rejection of way authorities have agreed to by us in any case whatever, National Government into exis-Hence the anxiety of the Govern- tence, was over, and against prement supporters to rush, through mature relaxation of national

"We have indeed witnessed miraculous," he said, "but that position can only be maintained if we maintain the course that brought it about, namely, determination to After referring to the improved pay our way and balance our



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#### RUBBER PROBLEM INSURMOUNTABLE.

REGULATION OF EXPORT IMPOSSIBLE.

The Hogue, Mar. 19. A Government communique states that the English and Dutch Governments have come to the conclusion that it is impossible under present conditions to frame and operate an international scheme to guarantee the effective regulation of the production and export of rubber.

The British Colonial Office has issued a communique identical with that from The Hague. According to a Dutch rubber au- were beaten off.

thority, interviewed by Reuter, 144 different rubber restriction schemes had been submitted during the past two years, most of them proving to be useless. He added that the quota scheme had had a chance, but careful examination had proved that the difficulties in Malaya were insur-

A large increase in world stocks will result from the situation created garrison. Small Producers Hit.

London, Mar. 20. by Dutch and English Interests. which, it is understood, provided for the restriction of production on European plantations by 45 per cent. Special. of the 1929 output and a proportionate reduction of native ouput, it is pointed out that conditions are now very different from those prevailing when the Stevenson scheme was in-

The United States, which is the largest consumer, has accumulated an enormous amount of rubber, and the potential output of the world in now

much larger. It is suggested that the decision may be due to a disagreement as regards the form of restriction, while it may have been influenced by the fact that no scheme for the restriction of cutput of any commodity has been successful during the present slump. It is thought that the decision may mean, failing a rapid expansion of demand, that the very weak producers will be forced out of business .- Ren. trains, because he cannot repair

### OBITUARY.

PARTY STATE

MEMBER.

London, Mar, 19, The death occurred to-day of Dr. G. B. Hillman, Conservative member in the House of Commons for Wakefield. At the last e.ee tion he defeated the babour or ponent by 15,881 against 11,774. British Wireless

#### French Communt. Shanghai, Mar. 20,

Colonel A. F. Marcnire, Commandant of the French forces in Shanghai, died from pneumonia today, at the age of 53 years. He had been in Shanghai since 1930, and during the recent trouble was in charge of the defence measures in the French Concession.

REGISTRATION TIME:

-- Our Own Carrespondent.

POSTPONED TO SEPTEMBER BY CHINA. -

The Ministry for Communications has announced that the time limit for the registration of shipping nationality, originally set for March 31, has been postponed to September, owing to the unsettled conditions throughout the country.- Reuter.

#### NEW STATE IN DIFFICULTIES.

MORE OUTBREAKS IN MANCHURIA.

various parts of Manchuria, acof anti-Manchukuo Kirin troops attacked the Japanese garrison the city and the Chinese forces including date of arrival, will be

old Kirin troops attacked the Man- 25th March, 1932, or thy will not be chukuo garrison at Shihtowhotse, recognized .considering the despatch of at 10.00 a.m. on Tuerday, the 22nd

Further Japanese troops are re-ported to be needed along the No claims will be admitted and the Eastern section of the Chinese goods have left the Godowns. In connexion with the English Eastern Railway, and the 'rail- No Fire Insurance will be effected the rubber restriction scheme, evolved transport them, although they state that it cannot be done at present, owing to the shortage of wagons .- Reuter's Morning Post

### Irregulars Active.

Harbin, Mar. 20.

and land owned by Generals Time Tano, Li Du and Mo Teh-hui will be auctioned by the urban council

The situation on the Chinese Eastern line is worse. The suitstation at Izvestkovaya, near Ashiho, was attacked yesterday by irregulars, who kidnapped 20 railway employees.

ponsibility for the movement of the track.---Renter.

Denying that Japan was in any

DEATH OF A CONSERVATIVE ment of Manchurla or responsible for its appearance, the Foreign Office has handed a communication to the Chinese Legation replying to the Chinese Note of March 1

dence, the reply admits that

Referring to Manchuria, the Observer says that they are no friends of the League who do not recognise that some special regime is implied by treaty rights and is required by practical interests of peace .- Reuter!

### CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

Harbin, Mar. 20. Fighting is still going on in cording to Japanese reports that their goods with the exception of which state that a large force Opium, Treasure and Valuables are at Ninguta on Saturday morning. Kowloon, whenco delivery can be Four Japanese bombing aero obtained as the goods are landedplanes took part in the defence of Goods not cleared within . 7 days

It is reported that the property

The district superintendent at Ashiho has telegraphed to the railway manager refusing res-

#### No Connection.

Tokyo, Mar. 19,

way related to the new Govern-

In outlining the causes leading to the declaration of Indepen-Japan is sympathetic toward the new Government as it holds out hope that Japanese rights and interests will be respected, and that peace and order in Manchuria, wherein Japan is vitally interested, will be maintained, but the reply emphasises that this sympathy does not entail aclive support .- Renter.

### Foreign Opinion.

London, Mar. 19, "The duty of every respon sible mind now is to promote process of quieting down in the Far East," says the Observer. Geneva and Washington really mean to provide for a safer future they will use all their exertions to induce China to renounce the method of hoycott."

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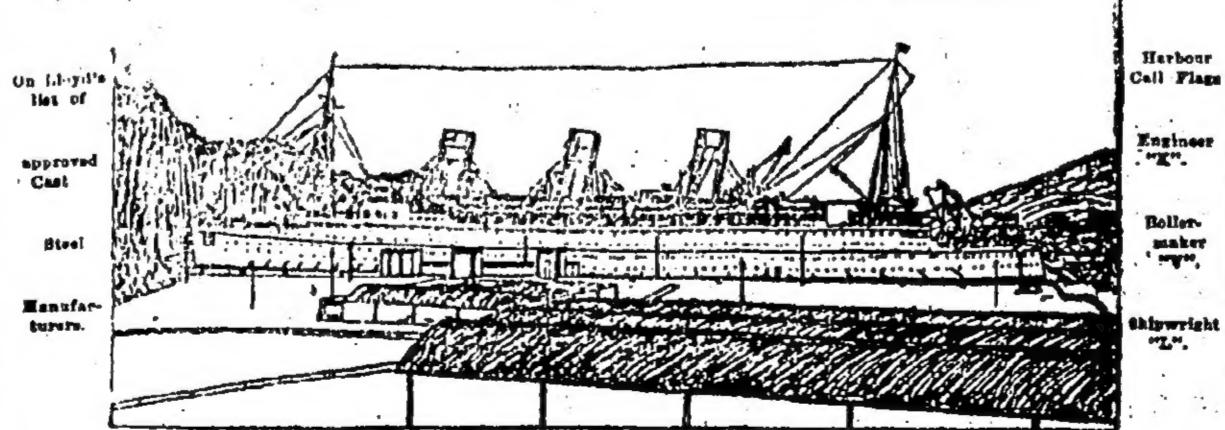
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To-day being the eve of Settlemont Day, there was no material change in rates at this morning's session, but the market displayed a steady undertone.

Sales. Hongkong Banks, \$1450. Union Waterboats, \$20.

Hotels, \$13% cum, rts. H. K. Renities, \$10%. Ewo Cottons, Tls. 16. Hongkong Trams, \$21,40. China Lights (Old), \$21. Canton Ices, \$5. Comonta (com.), \$18.80. Dalry Farms, \$20. Watsons, \$15%.

Constructions (Old), \$8.80. Buyera. Mercantile Banks, £19. China Underwriters, \$4. Providents (old), \$4.05. Providents (New), \$2.30. Hotels, \$13.75 Cum, Rts. Hongkong Lands, \$75. Chinese Estates, \$95. Ewo Cottons, Tls.14%. Hongkong Trams, \$21.10. Star Ferries, \$91. China Lights (old), \$21. China Lights (new), \$20 %. Hongkong Electrics, \$74%. Telephones (P.P.), \$2314. Canton Ices, \$5. Cements (Com.), \$18%. Cements (Old), \$12%. Cements (New), \$5 1/4. Dairy Farms, \$28%. Watsons, \$15.60.

CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIP.

ENGLAND'S EASY VICTORY.

Brussels, Mar. 20. England's cross-country runners gave a brilliant display in the international cross-country championship race, run at Brussels to-

The England team occupied all nest six places, securing the greatest possible murgin of victory. France was second and Scotland

The first man home. Evenson (England) covered the nine miles course in 50 minutes 51 seconds. The team positions were as

England (21 points) ..... France (69 points) ..... 2 Scotland (110 points) .... Belgium (155 points) Ireland (214 points) ...... 6 .-Reuter.

Lane Crawfords (Old). Lane, Crawfords (New), \$5. Amusements, \$2014. Constructions (Old) \$6. Constructions (New), \$1.00. Govt. Louns, 4% Prom.

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### FREE FIGHT STREET.

### CRIPPLE AMONGST COMBATANTS.

Three combatants in a free fight in Connaught Road, West, near Sutherland Street, on Friday evenific, were found lying stretched out on the roadway when the police arrived on the scene shortly after the hostilities had ceased.

Charges of disorderly conduct were brought against each of the men before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning, when it was seen that all three were suffering more or less severe injuries as a result of the fight.

Detective Sergeant Kinnear informed his Worship that the third and the second defendants, the latter of whom was a cripple, had a quarrel over the loss of a piece of soap. The first defendant. Seeing that the second was unable to fend for himself, took his part.

When the police arrived on the 1 1/2scene shortly afterwards, they BOLLET were all lying on the good, kn icked out, with the result that there was no police evidence of the actual

The first two defendants were each fined \$5, whilst the third was ordered to pay a fine of \$7. All !

SEQUEL TO FIGHT.

OVER.

disorderly conduct in Lockhart should be given by His Majesty's and had concealed it in his shoe.

who was carrying a hammer, ran regret is expressed at the information a shop. When the constable tion which has now been received. followed them into the shop hea found them struggling on the floor. The second defendant had a two-inch wound on his head.

denied that it had been caused by impeding progress with the prothe instrument he had been carry. gramme indicated in the Prime ling. He said that he had knocked | Minister's statement of December. the second defendant's head Lagrainst the floor.

LAST

DAYS



Another picture of ruined Chapsi, showing three Japanese armoured cars on patrol

## PLUNGE.

### three were bound over to be a INDIA COMMUNAL PROBLEM.

A communique issued by the Mr. Schofield at the Central Police India Office gives the text of a Court this morning was sentenced TWO MEN FINED AND BOUND statement published in Delhi, to six weeks' hard labour for which says that His Majesty's leitering with intent to commit Government have taken note of a felony and for being in posses-A sharpened rattan worker's the laability of the Consultative sion of a pick-lock, which was instrument and a hammer were Committee of the Round Table concealed in his shoe. produced before Mr. Schofield at Conference to undertake a settle. The defendant said that he had the Central Police Court this morn- ment of the communal problem, gone to the house to look for a ing as being the wear as used by which was reported to them by friend. The pick-lock, comprising two men who were brought be- the chairman, and of the Com- a piece of wire fit for picking, fore his Worship on charges of mittee's request that the decision locks, he had found in the street

### Premier's Pledge.

been informed that the absence of they would be compelled to apply having inflicted the injury but a communal agreement is now a provisional scheme.

defendant to six weeks' hard labour ment, that in the event of a failure are engaged in a careful rewithout the option of a fine and of the communities to present a examination of the difficult, and imposed a fine of \$25 on the second settlement acceptable to all controversial questions which arise defendant both being ordered to parties as the foundation upon and it is their firm intention that sign bonds for their future be-; which to build, the Government there shall be no avoidable delay. were determined that even this -British Wircless,

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HARDY

Thus remarked Mr. Fraser at, the Kowloon Magistracy this morning when Chiu Fing was charged with uttering a forged Chartered Bank \$10 note, and with possession of another.

Sgt. Moran explained that the notes were sent to the Chartered Bank for examination and the Bank people stamped them as

forgeries. His Worship:-In future, please ask the Bank not to stamp, such notes. The notes are your property; not the Bank's. After evidence was taken, de fendant was sentenced to four months' hard labour.

LOITERER SENT TO

### PICK-LOCK IN HIS POSSESSION.

GAOL.

Found loitering in an unog upied house in Ko Shing Street, London, Mar. 20. a Chinese who appeared before

Detective Sergeant Johnson said According to Detective Inspector Prime Minister at the Round Rozeskwy, a constable saw the Table Conference in London on the morning. Although the floor first detendant chasing the second December 1, emphasising the des- was vacant, it was used by the defendant with a rattan worker's irability of an agreed settlement hawkers of Ko Shing Street as instrument. The first lefendant, of this question is recalled, and temporary headquarters, whilst

> . The communique proceeds: disability should not be permitted "His Majesty's Government has to be a bar to progress and that

"His Majesty's Government de-"In these circumstances the sire to make it plain that they Government think it well to reiter- realise the responsibilities involvate the pledge which the Prime ed in this undertaking and will His Worship sentenced the first Minister gave in the same state- not fail to discharge them. They

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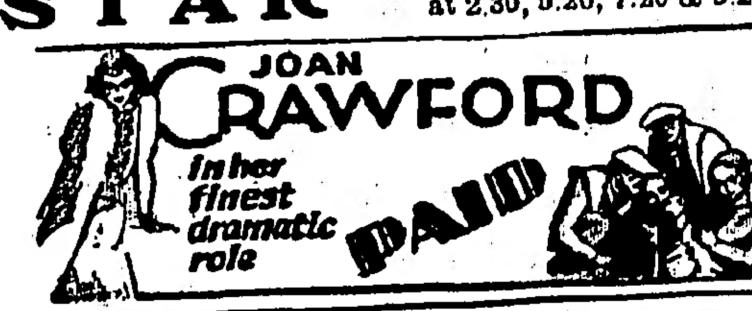
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### SHANGHAI RELIEF.

WORK OF THE HONGKONG CONTINGENT.

medical practitioners of Hong- food to keep alive, let alone medikong. Dr. Li Sung and two other cine. Hongkong Chinese doctors were leaders of the first group of Hong- treat, added Dr. Li, many of the kong nurses who left for Shanghai doctors and nurses had to follow the some weeks ago to assist the Red army to Soochow and other remoter

were at one stage as many as 6,000 of the Cantoness vito speak the to 7,000 Chinese wounded soldiers Shanghai dialect. in the Settlement requiring the most urgent medical treatment. kong Chinese medical practitioners Owing to this serious situation, intend to send an ambulance car Dr. W. S. New, the Chairman of and an X-Ray set to Shanghal. the National Medical Association The latter is urgently needed. of China, and the doctors from Nanking and Peking, had an ex- the second group of Hongkong ceedingly busy time finding accommodation and 88 temporary mili- the Chinese medical practitioners tary hospitals were opened.

co-operation of all classes of visitors are doing their work Chinese and how schools and public splendidly.

buildings were converted into hospitals within twenty-four hours. Soldiers' Appreciation.

Dr. Li Sung said that the Canl tonese nurses and the doctors in A graphic story of the treatment of the Chinese wounded and their highly appreciated by the soldiers of the Nineteenth Route Army, who Li Sung on Saturday afternoon at said that such excellent treatment a tea-party given in his honour at formed a contrast to the hard time the Chinese Merchants Club by they had in Kiangsi fighting the several of the prominent Chinese soldiers could hardly get enough

As a result of the Chinese re-Cross workers there in the relief of districts. The authorities of the the thousands of wounded soldiers. Red Cross had advised the Hongkong contingent not to venture into According to Dr. Li Sung there the interior because of the inability

It is understood that the Hong-

Dr. Tsang Se-ming, who headed nurses to Shanghai, has wired to stating that he has made all the nocessary arrangements with the management of these temporary Red Cross leaders to find accommon hospitals was carried out in the dation and work for the nurses most splendid manner through the under his command, and that all the